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## GOOD

### ys for the Glass Blowers.

## eConference

### es on 15 Per Cent Raise in Wages.

### Closing of the Window ss Mills Also Agreed Upon.

nds of Workmen are Bene- d by the Conference That was Held in Indianapolis.

napolis, May 3.—As the result ational conference of window- erests it was decided to close early all factories in the Unit- es on May 11, and give all em- n advance in wages of 15 per he conference was attended by atatives of all the co-operative actories in the country, includ- esident Cole of Lancaster, O., at the head of an independent ation, and Simon Burns, presi- the L. A. 300. There were also members of the wageworkers' tee, and President Chambers American Windowglass com- ommonly called the trust. The of the conference affects 2,750 owers and 15,000 other em- all of whose wages will be in- 15 per cent.

proposition of the co-operatives e down May 11, however, does t with general approval, and re indications that some of the atives will refuse to abide by on of the majority. It has been ary to close down July and Members of the wage com- and the officials of L. A. 300 een anxious to close all fac- en May 11 on account of the tion of the trusts to sign a for the next year advancing 15 per cent providing this was The trusts have been fearful ould the co-operatives continue ate their factories until July, ount of finished glass on the would be so great as to make estion.

**To Avert Lockouts.**

napolis, May 3. — President of the United Mine Workers is way to New York to attend ing of a special committee ap- by the National Civic Federa- o devise means of promoting greements between employers eir employes, and avert strikes kouts. There are 14 members committee, but a subcommittee, ing of Mr. Mitchell, Herman commissioner of the Coal Oper- association of Illinois, and ex- at E. D. Kenna of the Atchison, and Santa Fe railroad, will Sunday for the purpose of draw- an agreement to submit at a that will be held Tuesday.

**French Miners to Strike.**

, May 3.—The secretary of the l Federation of Miners de- that the recent referendum in logically implies a general among the miners, but as a of the important mining cen- not vote last Sunday, a sup- tary referendum has been fixed Sunday, and that there is no the miners will then vote in a strike, as did the majority nday. The council of the Na- Federation of Miners will meet Etienne next Sunday and adopt resolutions.

**Demand Recognition.**

ville, May 3.—A general strike uilding trades is threatened in le as the result of demands gnition of the building trades Upwards of 200 men quit various buildings throughout , and labor leaders declare less all the contractors agree loy only union men a general n all the buildings trades will red.

**Plant to Close.**

gstown, O., May 3.—About 150 re discharged at the steel rail ent of the National Steel com- plant. It is stated that the l mill now in this city will be ued and removed to Chicago, dded to the steel rail depart- the Illinois Steel company. nt is now under the control of ted States Steel corporation.

**Out in Five Towns.**

en, O., May 3. — Plumbers in Niles, Youngstown, Sharon, Meadville, Pa., are now on s a result of disagreement at town.

**unday at the Exposition.**

o, May 3.—So far as the Buffalo churches are concerned, no further action will be taken looking toward the closing of the Pan-American exposition on Sunday. Dr. Hathaway of the American Sabbath School union said: "We think the directors of the exposition made a great mistake in passing their resolution to open the gates on Sunday, and that they have very little to gain by their action, and much to lose. However, the action is taken, and what steps will be followed up by my organization are as yet uncertain."

**Typhoid Epidemic.**

Berlin, May 3.—An epidemic of typhoid fever has broken out in several of the fortifications and villages in the neighborhood of Metz. The Eighth Bavarian regiment has alone lost 16 men from the disease and has 281 men sick.

**Swept Over the Rapids.**

Sault Ste Marie, Mich., May 3.—A small boat containing two persons, presumably boys or young men, was swept over the rapids of the St. Marys river. Neither boat nor passengers have been seen since.

## FLAMES

### Sweep Through City of Londonville,

### And Destroys $75,000 Worth of Property.

#### The Fire Started by the Upsetting of a Lantern in the Hay Loft of the American House Livery Barn.

Loudonville, O., May 3.—A fire which broke out in the American House livery barn caused a loss of $75,000. The fire was started by the upsetting of a lantern in the hay loft of the livery barn. It spread from the barn to Orra Beard's livery barn, thence to Wilson Morris' music store, The Advocate office, the American hotel, J. Rollins' jewelry store, H. C. Stockmon's drug store, A. Teuschert's tailor shop, F. P. Young's hardware store, S. H. Evans' candy store, A. B. Leopold stove store, K. of P. building and McLaughlin & Company's hardware store.

## EXPULSION

### Order of Judge Young in Foster Murder Trial

#### Will be Used by Judge Smalley as Ground in Error in the Higher Courts—Case Progresses.

Upper Sandusky, May 3.—In the Foster murder trial this morning, Judge Smalley, for the defense referred to Judge Young's expulsion order, which deprives his client of the right to a "speedy and public trial" and wished a record of such expulsion to be spread on the court records. Judge Young declined to allow it. It will be used as ground in error in the higher courts. Several witnesses testified of seeing a wagon with five men drive by late on the night of the murder.

## BLACKMAIL

### Alleged to Have Been Attempted by Quartette.

#### One Woman, an Attorney, a Court Stenographer and an Ex-sheriff in Trouble at Flint, Mich.

Flint, Mich., May 3.—Jos. Stockwell, court stenographer here, has been arrested and warrant is out for the arrest of Rose Taylor, attorney C. H. Johnson and ex-sheriff Taylor. The prosecution was begun by Jacob Raquet, a wealthy Saginaw brewer. According to Rose Taylor, who has confessed, she was to get the brewer in a compromising situation and then threaten to expose unless he paid for silence. It is said that these people have operated for months and that a score of wealthy and influential Michigan men were among their victims.

**Russia's Big Touch.**

Berlin, May 3.—The Vossische Zeitung prints a special dispatch from St. Petersburg announcing that Russia has virtually arranged with France for loans amounting to 500,000,000 francs, and that another Russian loan is being negotiated with English and American bankers in London. The dispatch further says that the czar is planning for a trip abroad during next August, and that he will visit Copenhagen, Darmstadt and Vienna.

## DOES

### Not Fear the Competition Here.

## The Chancellor

### Favors the Export Tax on Coal.

#### Sir Michael Hicks-Beach Defends the Governments Position.

#### The Liberals Declare the Tax, If Imposed, Must Eventually Come Out of the Wages of the Miners.

London, May 3.—Discussion of the new export tax on coal occupied the session of the house of commons. There was a large attendance and the debate was very warm at times. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, chancellor of the exchequer, defended the government budget, which was fiercely attacked by the opposition under the leadership of Sir William Vernon Harcourt (Liberal). The latter said the tax would throw the coal trade into chaos, and pronounced it an extraordinary and vexatious piece of bungling. He contended that the tax would paralyze the export trade and it would eventually come out of the wages of the miners.

The chancellor submitted statistics, which he summarized, as showing 225,000,000 tons were mined in 1900, of which, after deducting £18,000,000 in wages more than in 1897, the coal owner had a net profit of £29,000,000 on a capital of £110,000,000. As to the competition of the United States, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach said: "Last year the price of our coal at the port of export rose very much higher than the price of coal in the United States, but in spite of that our export of coal was 35,000,000 tons, or 3,500,000 tons more than the previous year. The United States export a little over 16,000,000 tons; if the United States could not compete when the price of our coal was very high, it would be absolutely impossible for them to compete when the price of our coal was low."

Mr. John Redmond, the Nationalist leader, said the coal tax did not affect Ireland, and in that respect it was the beginning of a new era. On general principles, however, he urged Irish members to do everything possible in their efforts to defeat the budget. The debate was adjourned to Monday next, when, according to the arrangement, a division will be taken.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beachs' strong and effective speech in defense of the tax delighted his colleagues. At the same time it was felt that he made an unsound argument when he pleaded the enormous profits of the coal owners as a justification of the new tax. It is pointed out that the radicals used the same argument when demanding the taxation of ground rents, and that, if the large profits justified attacks, lean profits would justify state assistance.

The prospect of the miners persisting in their determination to strike appears more doubtful, consideration of the matter for 24 hours having somewhat modified the opinions of the leaders, but no reliable indications are yet available.

## CANTEEN

### Question to be Fought Over Again in Congress.

#### Army Officers Claim They Cannot Control Drinking and Drunkenness is on the Increase.

Washington, May 3.—The army canteen question will be fought all over again during the next session of congress. The army officers here have freely predicted that the prohibitory law will be revoked and the privilege of selling beer and light wines at army post exchanges will be renewed. Officers can not now control drinking among the men and claim that drunkenness has been on the increase since the canteens were closed.

**The Weather.**

Washington, May 3.—For Ohio, fair tonight with lower temperature in extreme portion. Frosts probably in northeastern portion. Saturday, fair in eastern; probably showers in western portion, warmer.

## GERMANY

### Designing to Secure the Control

#### Of a Valuable and Important Stragetic Point.

#### Harbor of Margriti Island, Commanding Panama Canal from the Eastern Side, Being Closely Watched.

Washington, May 3.—Although the matter has never figured before the state department, the navy department has been closely watching the happening near Margrita island, off the coast of Venezuela, which has given rise to the report that a German coaling station is to be established there. The facts have been reported to the department by some of the United States naval officers who commanded vessels which have cruised in these waters recently. Last year a German warship spent 10 weeks in looking into the possibilities of Margrita island, and this fact led to an examination on our own account, which developed the presence in this important strategic point of one of the finest harbors in South America, the possession of which would afford the United States or any other nation with a navy practical control of the Panama canal from the eastern side.

## FAMOUS

### Musicians' Son Dies in a Poor House at Norfolk.

#### Indulged in Drink Until He Became a Wreck and Could No Longer Earn a Livelihood.

Norfolk, Va., May 3.—Frank Gilbert, son of W. S. Gilbert, the famous writer of comic opera librettos, died here last night in the poor house. He was a graduate of Oxford and a musician of rare ability but drink downed him and failing to make a living in low resorts in which he was driven to play he went to the poor house to die.

## SENSATIONAL

### Report Received from Texas This Afternoon.

#### Rumored on Wall Street That an Attempt was Made to Shoot President McKinley.

New York, May 3.—There was a report out in Wall street this afternoon that President McKinley had been shot at today. The report is alleged to have come from Texas. It helped to break the market.

## FIREMEN

### Fight Fire at the Armour & Co. Packing Houses.

#### For Two Hours the Flames Raged and Loss is One Hundred and Seventy-five Thousand.

Chicago, May 2.—Fire which threatened to destroy property valued at several millions, started in the "killing beds" of Armour & Co.'s packing house stock yards at 6 o'clock this morning and raged for two hours before the firemen succeeded in getting it under control. The burned building was 300 by 100 feet and five stories high, and the total loss is estimated at $175,000. A three foot brick wall prevented the flames from reaching the cooling and ice rooms where 5,000 carcasses of dressed beef valued at $500,000 were stored.

**MRS. McKINLEY**

#### Is Not Enjoying Good Health On the Trip To the Southwest.

Chicago, May 3.—The American this morning says: Solicitude for the health of Mrs. McKinley is marring the pleasure of the President's journey. She fainted while at the President's side yesterday. Efforts have been made to dissuade her from going on, but she insists on braving the rigors of the desert.

## FALL

### Is Taken Out of Mr. McLaurin

## By W. J. Bryan

### Who, However, Admits to the Fact

#### That the McLaurin Movement Will Yet Have Some Influence.

#### The Nebraskan Notifies Opponents to His Political Belief That They Will Have to Bestir Themselves.

Lincoln, Neb., May 3.—In a statement, W. J. Bryan takes Senator McLaurin of South Carolina to task for what he declares is his "political flop." At the same time Mr. Bryan admits Senator McLaurin's action marks the beginning of a movement in the south which will have an influence upon the politics of the nation. He says:

"It is not likely that Mr. McLaurin will be the leader of the movement, because he is handicapped by the fact that he is using his official position to misrepresent the views and interests of his constituents; but some leader will arise to give direction and force to the aristocratic and plutocratic element for which Mr. McLaurin speaks. There is such an element in every community, and now that the race question no longer affects the white people in the southern states, it will doubtless manifest itself. Senator Tillman has already taken up the gage of battle thrown down by Senator McLaurin, and will doubtless be able to marshall a considerable majority in that state; but the same influences are at work in other states, where there is greater danger of their success. The Democratic sentiment is strong enough to resist and overcome the McLaurin movement, but those who believe that the man is more important than the dollar will have to bestir themselves."

**German Intelligence.**

Berlin, May 3.—The creditors of a bank at Kompen, which recently went into bankruptcy, have decided to institute criminal proceedings against the members of the board of directors for the deficiency, which amounts to 640,000 marks. The pig iron syndicate of Cologne has decided to be converted into a limited liability company for a term of five years, on conditions binding the members more closely. Under the new arrangement members must sell their product to the company, which in turn will sell to the consumers. A well known American insurance man in Berlin, discussing the private insurance law passed by the reichstag, said he regarded it on the whole as a fair measure, and devoid of harsh provisions aimed at foreign companies.

**Salem Road Sold.**

Salem, O., May 3.—The Salem railroad has been sold to Colonel Myron T. Herrick of Cleveland. This road extends from this city to Washingtonville, seven miles, where it connects with the Erie lines. It was recently sold at receiver's sale to Walter S. Johnson of the Norton Trust company of New York for $125,000. This bid is assigned to Colonel Herrick. Receiver B. S. Ambler, who has had charge of the road for eight years, is retained as manager. It was reported that Abner McKinley, brother of the president, is interested in the deal, and that the road may be extended to Youngstown, 15 miles beyond its present terminus, to open rich coal deposits.

**General Rising Imminent.**

Shanghai, May 3.—The reports of the secret combination of disaffected elements in the Yang Tse provinces for the purpose of organizing general risings are receiving some confirmation. The British consul at Nanking telegraphs Mr. Brennan, the British consul in Shanghai, that the Nanking Viceroy is very anxious about the Yang Tse movement, and he asks Mr. Brennan to assist the taotai to preserve order by holding troops in readiness.

**Married In Jail.**

Indianapolis, May 3.—Clyde B. Winegar was sentenced in the criminal court to a term of from 2 to 14 years in the state prison for embezzlement. Within an hour after being taken back to jail he was married to Laura Spoon, a woman who has stood close to him ever since he was arrested in New Albany and brought back to Indianapolis for indictment and trial.

**Released on Bail.**

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 3.—Charles A. Johnson, the defaulting cashier of the First National bank of Niles, Mich., has been released on bail. His $10,000 bond was signed by L. E. Wood and Theodore Hopkins, both of Niles, the latter being Johnson's father-in-law. Johnson left for his home on a late train, after being in jail here since March 21.

**Blackmail Charged.**

Flint, Mich., May 3.—Joseph W. Stockwell, a well known resident of this city, was arrested at Muskegon on a warrant which charges him and four others with conspiracy to blackmail, for $20,000, John Raquet, a wealthy brewer of Saginaw. One of the accused is a woman. Another is an attorney.

**To Tour the States.**

Vienna, May 3.—Pietro Mascagni, the Italian composer, has signed a contract for a tour of the United States. He will start Oct. 15, and take with him an orchestra of 80 members. His personal stipend will be £2,000 a week for eight weeks.

**Sawmill Destroyed.**

Grayling, Mich., May 3.—The band sawmill here, owned by Salling & Houston, was destroyed by fire. The estimated loss is about $100,000.

## ANNUAL

### Conference of German Lutherans

#### Is Now Being Held at Vincennes, Indiana.

#### Report Shows the Synod to be in a Healthy Condition—One Hundred Thousand Spent for New Churches.

Vincennes, Ind., May 3. — The fifteenth annual conference of the German Evangelical church of North America opened a week's session here. One hundred and one ministers were present when the conference opened. The annual report of the president, the Rev. Frederick Hohmann of Pleasant Ridge, O., showed the synod to be in a healthy condition and the past year a prosperous one. There are 100 congregations and 85 ministers in the Indiana district, which includes five states, Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky, Georgia and Alabama. The total membership is 24,429. During the year the cost of new churches has aggregated $100,000.

## MOBBED

### Was the Presidential Party While En Route.

#### Mosquitoes of the Southwest Show Marcus A. Hanna How He Treats Common People.

Houston, Tex., May 3.—The Presidential party arrived here on time this morning and was greeted by Governor Sayers and a large concourse of citizens. The Presidential party was mobbed by a swarm of mosquitos while enroute and many faces were decorated in consequences. Governor Sayers will accompany the party to Austin this afternoon and will give a banquet there this evening.

## PREMATURE

### Report Sent Out About the Demands Made.

#### Committee Recommends That China be Assessed $275,000,000 But Ministers Will Not Agree.

Washington, May 3.—The report that the foreign ministers in Peking have agreed upon the aggregate indemnity of $275,000,000 as the price China should pay for the Boxer trouble appears to be premature. The committee having the subject in hand has recommended the adoption of this sum as the total of the foreign demands but the council of ministers has not yet agreed to accept the committee's report.

**Coursey Resigns.**

Washington, May 3.—W. S. Coursey, private secretary of Secretary Root, has resigned his position to accept one with the New York Central, at New York. It is said that his act was caused by friction between himself and Adjutant General Corbin.

**Chicago Markets.**

Chicago, May 3—Cattle 1500, steady; hogs 18,000, 2½ to 5 cents higher; sheep 5,000, steady.

Health may be wealth, but you can't make a doctor believe it.—Chicago Daily News.

## BARK

### Of Trees and Grass in Fields

## Was All Eaten

### By the Starving Chinese of Shan Si,

#### Then the Poverty Stricken Heathen Began to Eat Each Other.

#### Awful Condition in One Province of the Chinese Empire Reported by Minister Conger at Des Moines.

Des Moines, May 3.—Minister Conger says that the condition of the unfortunate people in the province of Shan Si, China, is beyond description. "Prince Ching told me only two days before I left Peking," said Mr. Conger, "that these people were literally eating each other. They have eaten every blade of grass, every bit of bark—everything, in fact, that can be eaten, in that province. Nothing has been raised there for two years, and unless relief is given many, many thousand must perish."

**Japan's Financial Situation.**

Washington, May 3.—Mr. Midori Komatz, secretary of the Japanese legation at Washington, made a statement on the financial situation in Japan. He said: "The foundation of our financial arrangement is too firmly established to be affected by any transient depression. There is no danger, in my opinion, that the present situation will result in any serious crisis. On the contrary, it will produce, I am quite confident, a beneficial effect upon the national progress by affording the people a lesson that no good times should be abused by luxury or extravagance in any form."

**Record of the Plague.**

London, May 3.—Sir Walter F. Hely-Hutchinson, the governor of Cape Colony, has wired the colonial secretary, Mr. Chamberlain, that the total of deaths due to the bubonic plague up to April 27 is 217. This number includes 41 Europeans. If the reported cases at Mafeking that have the symptoms of the plague are embodied in the report, the total number of cases will be 519, these including 155 Europeans.

**Campers Ready to Grab.**

Mountain View, O. T., May 3.—Thousands of people are pouring into southwestern Oklahoma and camping in and about the Kiowa, Comanche and Apache and Wichita Indian reservations, to be ready for the opening of public lands scheduled for August. Little attention is given to the order to keep out of the reservations, and covered wagons and tents may be seen from almost every hilltop.

## FAMINE

### In Whisky is Threatened in New York.

#### One Distillery and Warehouse Company Has Cornered the Market and Prices Will Go Up.

New York, May 3.—There is pending a whisky famine the wholesale dealers say. One large distillery and warehouse company in this city has practically cornered the market with millions of gallons of whisky in its cellars. A combination of producers is buying every available barrel remaining in the market. Since the present production is limited by an iron bound agreement, the prevailing scarcity may advance prices without limit.

**Elected Officers.**

St. Louis, May 3.—The board of directors of the Louisiana Purchase exposition company held its first meeting and organized for business. Ex-Governor David O. Francis was unanimously elected president of the board. After the applause had subsided Governor Francis briefly acknowledged the honor and expressed his thanks.

**New Railroad.**

Springfield, Ills., May 3.—Articles of incorporation were filed for the Peoria and Springfield railroad. The proposed line is to run from Springfield to Peoria, by way of Green Valley, and connects with the Chicago and Alton at Sherman. The road was laid out some time ago. The capital is $2,000,000, divided into 2,000 shares of $1,000.

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The sale of special fare colonists tickets to California, and settlers' tickets to the Northwest, West, South and Southeast has been resumed via Pennsylvania Lines. Particular information about fares, through time and other details will be furnished upon application. Please call on or address

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### IT SAVED HIS LEG.

P. A. Danford, of LaGrange, Ga suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For ulcers, Wounds, piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cents. Sold by H. F. Vortkamp.

### 35TH ANNUAL STATE ENCAMPMENT, G. A. R.

BELLEFONTAINE, O.

For the above occasion agents of Ohio Central Lines will sell excursion tickets to Bellefontaine, O., and return at One Cent per mile each way from all stations in Ohio

Tickets will be on sale May 6, 7 and 8, good returning until May 10th.

For further particulars call on agents of Ohio Central Lines.

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### SHUDDERS AT HIS PAST.

"I recall now with horror," says Mail Carrier Burnett Mann, of Levanna, Ohio, "my three years of suffering from Kidney trouble I was hardly ever free from dull aches or acute pains in my back. To stoop or lift a pail sacks made me groan. I felt tired, worn out, about ready to give up, when I began to use Electric Bitters, but six bottles completely cured me and made me feel like a new man." They're unrivaled to regulate stomach, Liver Kidneys and bowles. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed by H. F. Vortkamp. Only 50 cents.

### OHIO CENTRAL LINES

To the Pan-American Exposition.

Special low rate excursion tickets are sold at all important ticket offices of the Ohio Central Lines to Buffalo and return.

For full particulars as to special rates, dates of sale, limits, routes etc., call on agents of the Ohio Central Lines.

On all through tickets to points east of Buffalo a stop-over of ten days will be allowed at the Exposition. If you are going east go via Buffalo. 69-1m

### FOUGHT FOR HIS LIFE.

"My father and sister both died of consumption," writes J. T. Weatherwax, of Wyandotte, Mich., "and I was saved from the same frightful fate only by Dr. King's New Discovery. An attack of pneumonia left an obstinate cough and very severe lung trouble which an excellent doctor could not help, but a few months' use of this wonderful medicine made me as well as ever and I gained much in weight." Infallible for coughs, colds and all throat and lung trouble. Trial bottles free. Guaranteed bottles 50c and $1.00 at H. F. Vortkamp's.

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Via C. H. & D. Ry. Sunday May 5th. at $2.00 for the round trip. Tickets good going on the 2:10 a. m. and 6:50 a. m. trains; good returning leaving Cincinnati at 5:30 p. m. and 10:00 p. m. same day.

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8 6t Ticket Agent.

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To Toledo and return via C. H. & D. R. Sunday, May 5th. Tickets good going on the 7:43 a. m. and 11:57 a. m. trains; good returning leaving Toledo at 2:30 p. m. and 11:55 p. m. same day. 8 6t

# NEW

## Health Officer is Chosen

# By the Board

## Which Held an Election Last Night.

### Dr. Laudick Retires from the Office After Serving Three Terms.

**One New Man Elected to Serve on the Sanitary Police Force—The Health Board Banqueted at the Oak.**

The board of health met in the mayor's office last night for the purpose of organizing and electing a health officer and sanitary policemen for the year. Mayor McComb presided over the meeting and Amos Young was elected vice president for the year.

For the office of health officer, Dr. L. F. Laudick, who has served three terms very efficiently in the office, and Dr. E. E. McCall, were placed in nomination. The ballot resulted in 4 votes for Dr. Laudick and 3 for Dr. McCall and the latter was declared elected.

The selection of a corps of four sanitary policemen was next in order and these selections were also determined by one ballot, the vote being as follows: Ed. Roush received 4 votes, M Seibring 6 Joshua Langan 4, John King 4, Geo. Potter 4, Geo. Tressle 4 and Milton Carter 1. The first four were declared elected.

At the close of the meeting a very palatable bass supper was provided by Dr Laudick for the members of the board at the Oak dining room. Dr. Laudick retires from the office of health officer with an excellent record. His successor promises to also be an excellent official. Dr. McCall assumes his new duties at once.

A heaping teaspoonful of Bromo Pepsin in half glass of water constitutes a pleasant and refreshing drink and a sure and prompt cure for headache, indigestion, nausea, and mental faugue. It is absolutely harmless. All druggists, 10c, 25c, and 50c per bottle.

## BOUQUETS

### Thrown by a Neighboring Paper at Judge Price.

**In yesterday's edition of the St. Marys Graphic, a staunch Republican newspaper, appears the following complimentary paragraph concerning Judge Price, of this city:**

**Among the many choice men whose names will be presented to the Republican state convention, none there are who will command a more respectful consideration, because of invaluable services to the party, and because of marked ability shown as a barrister and in the determination of important cases while upon the judicial ermine, than James L. Price, ex-judge of the circuit court, who will be a candidate for nomination as judge of the supreme court of the state of Ohio. Being a gentleman of erudition and unmistakable comprehensiveness in law, he is scholarly, refined in his tastes, and one every way worthy the high position his friends are asking him to seek after. For fitness and ability, no better selection could be made than that of Judge Price; he would make an exceptionally strong candidate and reflect credit upon the supreme bench and honor upon the great state of Ohio.**

### NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

There will be a meeting of the stockholdres of the South Lima Oil company, of Lima, Ohio, at No. 834 south Main street, Tuesday evening, May 7th, 1901, at 8 o'clock. By order of board of directors.

M. B. FLYNN, Sec'y.

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Mr. J. S. Dean, of Rondout, N.Y., says he suffered misery night and day from dyspepsia, and his case was pronounced incurable by the doctors. For over two years he suffered

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## KIND WORDS

### Spoken of Capable Man Who Has Moved to Lima.

The Christian Conservator, of Huntington, Indiana, in its last edition contains the following complimentary mention of Mr. E. G. Conner:

**Mr. E. G. Conner, who for the past eight years has been in the employ of the agent and occupied the responsible position of foreman in this establishment, closed his labors with us on Saturday last to assist in Mr. and Mrs. F. Light's millinery establishment at Lima, Ohio. It is with profound regret that we part with Mr. Conner, who is so very useful and almost indispensible to our interests here; he has woven himself into the very warp and wool of all the departments connected with our house and likewise into the confidence and affections of the publisher and all the employees, as well as the citizens of our city and patrons of the office.**

**Mr. Conner commenced his abors with us while we were still in Dayton, Ohio, and before we had a plant with which to operate, and consequently had his share of the burdens of moving the entire effects to their present location, and well deserves credit equal to any one who engaged in the undertaking I am sure.**

**While we are sad at this separation from one whom we so dearly love and respect and in whom we have the most implicit confidence and with whom we have toiled side by side these years amid many and, indeed, some of the most trying anxieties and burdens of our life, we congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Light, that their most amiable daughter, Mrs. Irene Conner, and with her, their son-in-law, our most esteemed friend, and their precious, sweet, little daughter Helen, all of whom will go to make their home most pleasant indeed and besides we have every confidence that the business in the hands of Mr. Conner will be most enterprising and successful.**

"I had a running, itching sore on my leg. Suffered tortures. Doan's Ointment took away the burning and itching instantly, and quickly effected permanent cure." C. W. Lenhart, Bowling Green, O.

### SOLDIER'S RELIEF COMMITTEE

For the 4th ward, Lima, Ohio, will meet Monday night 7 o'clock, May 6, 1901, at the residence of Capt. Smith, 160 Circular street.

Ex-soldiers or sailors, or the widows of such, wanting relief during this year, must positively renew and make new applications for this county relief by bringing their soldier discharges to the above committee meeting. This is only for residents of the above named ward.

By order of Committee. 71-3t

## SENATOR BROREIN

### Will Invest Some Money in Florida Telephones.

The St. Marys Graphic of yesterday says:

**Sometime ago we gave an account of the new telephone system to be put in at Tampa, Florida, by our own citizen, Mr. Guy Huffman and Senator Brorein. The work is progressing as rapidly as time will permit, and in addition to this enterprise, these gentlemen have purchased telephone plants at Bradentown and Palmeto, Florida, forty miles from Tampa, also a telegraph line already erected between these cities and will maintain both a telegraph and a telephone line between them. Mr. Huffman left for Tampa this week to be absent for a couple of weeks. That the new venture may be a "chattering" success, is the wish of all our citizens.**

### FARM FOR SALE.

J. J. John farm 195 acres north of Elida to be sold as an entire or divided into two farms. Private sale. See J. C. and W. F. John Ex., Elida, O. 68-2w

## MAYOR

### Of Delphos Will Call a Mass Meeting.

### Toledo-Cincinnati is Now Being Surveyed

**And it Will Reach Defiance by Way of Otteville, Delphos and Spencerville—New Project.**

G. L. McKibben, of Van Wert, one of the surveyors of the electric line to be run from Toledo to St. Marys by the Northwestern Ohio Company, was in Delphos this morning and called on Mayor Bliss, says the Delphos Herald. Mr. McKibben states that the right-of-way for the line has been secured from Toledo to Defiance, and that next week the surveyors will get to work south of Defiance, headed toward Delphos.

They expect to pass through Ottoville, Delphos and Spencerville and on to St. Marys, where the line will connect with another the company now has under course of construction to Cincinnati. Van Wert made a strong bid for the line, but as it would require the construction of about nine miles of extra track to do so the idea is considered unfeasible. For the line to strike both Ft Jennings and Ottoville is also impracticable, the surveyor states, and it will scarcely be done

Concerning the location of the power house of which there will probably be two, Evansport, 12 miles north of Defiance is making a strong bid for one, and it is not impossible that Delphos may get the other.

It is expected of Delphos people that they assist in getting private right-of-way through this section, and a meeting of citizens of St. Marys, Spencerville, Ottoville and Delphos will be arranged to be held here, at which time representatives of the company will be present and explain matters fully. Many Delphos people are interested and there is little doubt that success will reward their efforts It is not likely that any money will be necessary. Mayor Bliss will call a meeting in the near future.

Should the line come through Delphos the company will doubtless ask for right-of-way through Main street.

### NOTICE.

The soldiers and sailor' relief committee of the First and Second wards will meet at the residence of Philip Flath 657 north Elizabeth street, Monday, May 6, at 1:30 o'clock. All soldiers and sailors' widows are requested to bring their discharge papers

By order of committee

PHILIP FLATH,
Chairman of Committee.

### U. V. U.

Fall in boys, let's have an old fashioned reunion on our regular meeting night, Friday, May 3d, at our hall, Donze block, at 7 p. m.

COL. L. F. ELLIS, Commanding
C. COWLES, Adjutant

The Ladies Aid Society, of the First Baptist church, will hold an exchange in vacant room of Masonic building, on Saturday, May 4. 1t

"Cure the cough and save the life." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs and colds, down to the very verge of consumption.

## CAMP

### To be Set Up for the Laborers on Suburban Railroad.

A. M. Shaw, of Mansfield, is here completing arrangements to open a camp below St. Marys for the men who will be employed in completing the work of building the Lima-Minster electric road. Mr. Shaw holds the position of commissary with the Western Ohio railway company.

"Flavey" Cunningham has been engaged to do the cooking for the force of men engaged and will leave for the camp tomorrow. Twelve or fifteen teams have been secured to start the work of grading and that number will be added to as rapidly as men and horses can be found.

### ATTENTION SOLDIERS.

Mart Armstrong Post, has selected for its route to the Bellefontaine encampment the C. H. & D. to Sidney, thence on the Big Four to destination. Fare for round trip 75 cents; fare for musicians 40 cents. Train leaving Lima, Wednesday, May 8, at 5:30 a. m. The above is for the information of all soldiers or any body intending to whom a cordial invitation is extended.

71-3t Post Adjutant.

**CANCER** S.S.S. THE ONLY KNOWN

The diseases most feared are those which are inherited—handed down from generation to generation, and family to family. By far the most destructive of these is Cancer, which finds the greatest number of its victims among the children and grand-children of those whose blood was tainted with this dreadful malady. You may carry this poison in the blood for years, but as the vital powers begin to wane a slight bruise or cut, wart or mole, sore or pimple may develop into Cancer. From middle life to old age is the time when the slumbering poison is most apt to break out, a sore or ulcer often degenerating into Cancer, and Tumors become more progressive and ulcerate through the skin, the sharp, shooting pains causing the most intense suffering.

The Cancer patient naturally grows despondent as one after another the usual remedies fail, and the sore shows no sign of healing. The impurities that have been accumulating in the system, perhaps for generations, cannot be eliminated nor the poisoned blood made pure by salves, washes and plasters. The proper treatment is to purify and build up the blood, remove the cause, when the sore or ulcer heals. S. S. S. goes directly into the blood, destroys the virus, stops the formation of Cancerous cells and cleanses the system of impurities. What we say of S. S. S. as a cure for Cancer is supported by the testimony of those who have tested it and been restored to health.

**Mr. J. B. Arnold, of Greenwood, S. C., writes: "A tiny ulcer came, just under the left eye. It began spreading, and grew worse rapidly, destroying the flesh as it went. As Cancer is hereditary in my family I became thoroughly alarmed, consulting the best physicians and taking many blood medicines, none of which did me any good, when one of our leading druggists advised me to try S. S. S., and by the time I had taken the second bottle the Cancer began to show signs of healing, the discharge grew gradually less and finally ceased altogether, the sore dried up and nothing remains but a slight scar. I feel that I owe my life to S. S. S."**

Begin in time, don't wait until the blood is so polluted and the system so thoroughly saturated with the poison that no medicine, however efficacious, can check the progress of the disease. If there is a taint in your blood get it out at once, don't wait for some external evidence of it, the appearance of a tumor or ulcer. We have prepared a special book on Cancer which we will mail free. Our physicians are ready to help you by their advice and such direction as your case requires. Write us fully and freely—no charge for medical advice. **THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.**

### NOTICE TO BOND BUYERS.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk of Lima, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon of Monday, June 3d 1901, and opened immediately thereafter, for the purchase of $1,200 worth (par value) of bonds known and designated as the West Elm Street Grading Bonds of the City of Lima, Ohio, issued in anticipation of the collection of a special assessment and levy to be made, to pay the costs of improving west Elm street from West street to Cole street, by grading same.

Said bonds shall mature as follows: July 1st, 1901—$1,000. Jan. 1st, 1902—$1,000, July 1st, 1902—$1,100. Jan. 1st 1903—$1,100

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one half (4½) per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, principal and interest payable at the office of the City Treasurer in Lima, Ohio, as it becomes due.

Said bonds are dated January 1, 1901 and are issued by authority of Sections 2703 2704, 2705, 2706, 2707, and 2709, Revised Statutes of Ohio, and pursuant to an order entitled "An Ordinance to Improve West Elm street from West street to Cole street by grading same to the established grade," passed by the City Council of said city, March 4 1901.

The city reserves the right to deliver an amount equal to the total estimated cost of the improvement or any part thereof.

No bids for less than the par value of said bonds will be considered, and all bids should specify the number of bonds bid for, and the amount of premium, if any, that is offered.

Bidders are required to use the form of proposal furnished by the City Clerk and no bids will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check on a Lima, Ohio, bank, and payable to the City Clerk, in sum of at least five (5) per cent. of the amount of bonds bid for. Should the bidder to whom such bonds are awarded refuse or neglect to accept such bonds and pay to the City of Lima the amount of his said bid within twenty days of such award, then said deposit will be retained by said City as liquidated damages for such failure

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids

By order of Council.

C. E. LYNCH
m2-th&fi 4wks City Clerk.

### A RESOLUTION.

**Declaring It Necessary to Improve Cole Street, Between Market Street and High Street, By Grading, Draining, Curbing and Paving Same.**

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Lima, as follows:

Sec. 1. That it is necessary to improve Cole street in said city, between Market street and High street, by grading, draining, curbing and paving the same.

Sec. 2. That said improvement shall be made in all respects in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications therefor, heretofore adopted, and now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Sec. 3. That all public and private alley crossings shall at the same time be improved in like manner as the balance of the street, from the curb line to the lot line.

Sec. 4. That the cost and expenses of said improvement, (less the cost of improving the public street and public alley intersections, the cost of the construction of catch basins and inlets thereto, and 2 per cent. of the total cost, all of which shall be paid by the city at large), shall be assessed upon the lots and tracts of land abutting upon said street between said points, in proportion to the benefits resulting thereto by reason of such improvement; and any and all assessments, which, at the election of the property owners, are deferred, shall be made payable in ten equal annual installments and shall bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable annually, and the same shall be collected as provided by law and the assessing ordinance hereafter to be passed; and bonds bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of such assessments, unless the property owners shall make payment thereof in cash within the time prescribed in the assessing ordinance, the amount of bonds which shall be issued to be the total amount of such assessments, less the amount of the assessments so paid in cash by the property owners Provided farther that the cost of improving each private alley and private drive-way crossing shall be assessed or charged to the party for whose benefit the same is made, and against his respective property.

Sec. 5. That E. D. Randall be, and he hereby is appointed to serve notice of the adoption of this resolution, in the manner prescribed by law upon all the owners of property abutting upon said street between said points who are residents of Allen county

R. E DAVIS,
President of the Council.

C E LYNCH, City Clerk.
Adopted April 29, 1901
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### AN ORDINANCE

**To Improve West Kibby Street, From Main Street to the West Line of Oak Street, By Grading, Draining, Curbing, and Paving Same.**

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, as follows:

Sec. 1. That the improvement of west Kibby street in said city, from Main street to the west line of Oak street, be proceeded with in accordance with the resolution therefor, adopted March 25, 1901, by grading draining, curbing and paving the same, that is to say, said street between said points shall be graded to the established grade, and drained, and curbed with 5 in x 20in curbing stone, and paved with a first class quality of vitrified paving brick on a concrete foundation all in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications therefor, heretofore adopted and now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Sec. 2. That all public and private driveway crossings shall at the same time be improved in like manner as the balance of the street, from the curb line to the lot or property line.

Sec. 3. That the cost and expenses of said improvement, (less the cost and expenses incident to improving the public street and public alley intersections, the cost of the construction of catch basins and inlets thereto, and 2 per cent. of the total cost, all of which shall be paid by the city at large, and less that portion of the cost and expenses legally chargeable to The Lima Electric Railway & Light Company, its successors and assigns, under the ordinance granting the privilege of constructing such street railway, and the laws of the state), shall be assessed per front foot upon the several lots and tracts of land abutting upon said street between said points: Provided, that the property abutting upon each section of the street which shall be paved a different width shall be assessed with respect to the width such section is paved; and provided also, that the cost of improving each private alley and private driveway crossing shall be assessed or charged to the party for whose benefit the same is made, and against his respective property; and any and all assessments which at the election of the property owners, are deferred, shall be made payable in ten equal annual installments, and shall bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable annually, and the same shall be collected as provided by law and the assessing ordinance hereafter to be passed, and bonds to be known as "West Kibby Street Paving Bonds of the City of Lima, Ohio," bearing interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum, in denominations of not above One Thousand ($1,000) Dollars each, shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of such assessments, unless the property owners shall make payment thereof in cash within the time prescribed by law and the assessing ordinance, the amount of bonds which shall be issued to be the total amount of such assessments, less the amount of the assessments so paid in cash by the property owners.

Sec. 4. That such bonds shall be advertised for sale, and sold, in the manner prescribed by law, and the proceeds shall be credited to a fund to be known as "West Kibby Street Paving Fund," and shall be used for the purpose of paying the cost and expenses of said improvement, and for the redemption of such bonds, and for no other purpose.

Sec. 5. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication according to law.

R. E. DAVIS.
President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.
Adopted April 29, 1901. 1-2t

### BUCKEYE HOME.

The Home Guards of America will meet at their hall Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, to transact business of importance. The degree team will meet at 7:30 for practice. Let all attend. Instalation of candidates. Do not fail to come.

P. LAUGHLIN, Cec'y.
M. F. LEVINESS, Conseilor. 71-2t

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Catherine Hughes deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Catharine Hughes late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 29th day of April, A. D. 1901.

J. M. DIMOND,
69-3w Administrator

### LEGAL NOTICE.

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Eva B. Menough. All persons indebted to said assignor will make immediate payment; and creditors will present their claims duly authenticated, to the undersigned for allowance.

W. L. ROGERS, Assignee
By Copeland & Rogers
His Attorneys

Lima, O., April 30, 1901. 3w

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received for the erection and construction of a church by the building committee of Epworth M. E. church, Lima, Ohio, in accordance with the plans and specifications on file at the office of Bell & Leech, architects, Lima, Ohio, from 6 o'clock p. m. on

Monday, May 6, 1901.

Each proposal must contain the names of every person interested in the same. The successful bidder will be required to give a satisfactory bond in the sum of the full amount of the contract price.

All proposals must be made on blanks furnished by the architects and submitted in a sealed envelope addressed to the secretary of the building committee and marked "Proposal for the erection of a church."

Plans and specifications may be seen at any time at the office of Bell & Leech, architects Lima, Ohio. The building committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and that one person, or more if they jointly will take the contract.

By order of the building committee

J. F. CORDRIY, Sec.

April 22, 1901. Lima, Ohio.

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No 8811

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Ferman Ely, plaintiff,
vs.
Willis Knoop, defendant

Allen Common Pleas

By virtue of a certain execution issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the door of the court house in Allen county, Ohio, on

**Saturday, May 25th, A. D 1901,**

between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m. the following described lands and tenements situated in the village of Conant, Allen county State of Ohio, and described as follows, to wit:

Lot number four (4) in the village of Conant, Allen county, Ohio

Appraised at $150.00 Terms of sale, cash.

E. A. BOGART
Sheriff, Allen County O.

Lima, Ohio April 16, 1901.

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of William Bice, deceased

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executors of the estate of William Bice late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 17th day of April A D 1901.

TABITHA BICE
ANDREW W BICE
Executors.

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executrix of the estate of Frederick Wiesenmeyer late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased

Dated this 17th day of April A D 1901.

EVA K WIESENMEYER,
Executrix

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Catherine Murphy deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executrix of the estate of Catherine Murphy, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 17th day of April A D 1901.

ELLEN MURPHY, Executrix.

### LEGAL NOTICE.

Louise Taylor, whose place of residence is number 5058 Armour avenue, Chicago, Illinois, will take notice that on the 10th day of April, 1901, Charles A. Taylor filed in the court of Common Pleas, Allen county, Ohio, his petition against her in case number 10637, praying that he may be divorced from her.

Said Louise Taylor is required to answer on or before the 20th day of May, or decree will be taken against her.

CHARLES A TAYLOR.
Motter, Mackenzie and Weadock,
apl 11-6w. Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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# NEWS

## Of the City Across the River.

## And the Drift

## Keeps the Lima Public Well Informed.

### Another Local Inventor at Work on Some Ideas That Promise Good.

Joseph Askins Has His Head Set on a Street Sweeper Which Will Meet Every Requirement.

This afternoon Mrs. Ruthell Laughrin, of St. Johns avenue, left for a few days visit with her parents at Ada.

At the home of her parents on Reese avenue, Miss Fleet Linderman, is seriously ill, threatened, it is feared, with an attack of diphtheria.

Yesterday, while working at her home on south Elizabeth street, Mrs. E. T. Bowdell, stepped upon a rusty nail which penetrated her foot inflicting a painful wound.

The first of the week, Joseph Linderman will leave for Toledo, where he will accept a position as foreman of a number of painters engaged in contract work there. He may probably move his family there later on.

His many friends here, especially those among the oil workers with who he was always popular, will be pleased to know that Edward Alexander, ex-marshal of Dunkirk, has entered upon his duties as a policeman at Ft. Wayne.

After an extended visit with Hasting friends Mrs. Vesta Green, has returned to her home here.

Completing several days visit with friends and relatives in this locality, Z. B. Campbell, has returned to his home at San Antonio, Texas, where he is engaged in the management of telephone systems.

A few days ago Jacob Guishinger, residing near Beaverdam, shot a water fowl very foreign to this locality, being a native bird of the Atlantic coast.

To accept a position as stenographer, Ralph Rice, has gone to Chicago, where he will make his home with his uncle.

A position as rail road mail clerk has been accepted by W. W. Moore, formerly of Lafayette. His friends will be blad to learn of his promotion.

Finishing a pleasant visit with Lima friends, Mrs. Herbert Brown, of Chicago, has gone to Ada, to be the guest of her parents.

For a number of years Joseph Askins, of south Main street, has been one of the most successful inventors of the south side. He has introduced some novel inventions mostly of a mechanical nature, although his process for the admixture of compositions for plastering purposes has been patented. It is considered an economical and durable preperation, which is contemplated to have manufactured, placing it generally upon the market. Another of his most satisfactory creations is a street sweeper, which has been in course of construction and perfection a long while, being frequently revised to make it meet every requirement. It is intended to have it excel any sweepers now in use. It has been examined by a number of competent judges, who pronounce it a very satisfactory machine. He has been offered several good opportunities to dispose of the invention at a good figure, but has not yet done so. Mr. Askins is the originator of many other practical ideas, transformed into various articles of usefulness, which have from time to time, netted neat financial returns to the industrious genius.

As a result of an accidental coming off of a wheel on S. Spellacy's delivery wagon, Daniel O'Connell, of Greenlawn avenue, the driver, was thrown out forcibly, sustaining some painful injuries.

Muncie, Ind., is being visited by George Bashore, upon a business mission.

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Two gentlemen were noticed at a New York clubhouse—one was the picture of prime middle age—the other had a crutch and cane and looked fifteen years older—they both had caught Rheumatism from over-exposure some ten years before—one took Ath-lo-pho-ros and was entirely cured—the other had spent thousands of dollars with Doctors, Sanitariums, German Baths, etc.—meantime his brother enjoys life, and Ath-lo-pho-ros goes on curing. The Ath-lo-pho-ros formula was originally the prescription of one of the world's greatest doctors and is known to have cured over fifty thousand people—it relieves almost every case, and one bottle will show improvement if any is to be had from it.

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At her home on Holly street, Mrs. Moiler, is seriously ill.

Completing a visit here, the guest of south side friends, Mark Shaffer, has gone to his home at Muncie, Ind.

Precarious illness confines Mrs. O. R. Spurrier, to her home, on south Metcalf street.

A realty transfer occurred on the south side yesterday, whereby John Clements became the owner of Isaac Imler's property on Greenlawn avenue.

The friends of Mrs. Grace Hunt, of south Main street, will be pleased to learn of her recovery from a severe illness.

Yesterday being Hartin Hamilton's birthday anniversary, a number of his friends happily surprised him at his home on west Kibby street, last night. The evening was enjoyably spent, a delightful time being experienced by all.

A response to the third call of the day brought the south side fire department to the home of D. Ridenour, at the rear of St. Johns avenue, where a small blaze was discovered on the roof. It was extinguished without throwing any water. The damage will be about twenty dollars.

In a short time A. M. Johnson, with his family, will move from south Elizabeth street, to Huntington, Ind., where Mr. Johnson is employed.

Because of the precarious illness of her mother, Mrs. J. L. Bowdle, has gone to her home at Alger.

Yoder friends are entertaining Mrs. William Davis, of west Kibby street.

Having spent several days out of town on business, C. M. Wood, Jr., has returned home.

This morning George Himes, who was injured in a railroad accident a few days ago was removed from the city hospital to his home on south Jackson street. He is still in a serious condition. His friends hope however, for an early recovery.

While at work yesterday C. C. Wright sustained a badly sprained arm which will disable him awhile.

The position of superintendent of the machine department of the John Swan company, has been accepted by John Witimer, who has entered upon his duties.

His friends here will be glad to learn of A. M. Deweese's promotion to Erie railway agent at Ohio City.

Suffering from a slight attack of lung fever, Paul Dickens is confined to his home an Broadway.

Friends in this locality were called upon yesterday by H. C. Sutladge, of Wapakoneta.

The south side has a new resident in the person of Bart Crawford, of Monroe township, who has accepted a position in south Lima.

Yesterday J. R. Dearth, of Galion, was here on business.

Completing an extensive journey through Mexico, F. S. Rishardson has located at San Antonia, Texas, where he is interested in a telephone company.

South side relatives are being visited by Miss Kate Bruce, of Kenton.

Grooming a horse this morning, Frank Elering was kicked on the knee by the animal. No fracture was caused but he will be rendered lame for a few days at least.

One of Marion's well known business men, P. C. Dally, visited with south Lima friends yesterday afternoon.

Riding rapidly on south Main street last night, Will Winget ran his bicycle against a stone which threw him off of the wheel causing him to bruise his left shoulder quite severely.

This afternoon Miss Maude Edge left for Toledo, where she will visit a few days with relatives.

Relatives in this vicinity have received word from John Garlinger, who went to California some time ago, informing them he has made foreman of an oil field near Bakersfield. Local friends will be glad to learn of his success.

Wednesday being the birthday anniversary of D. H. Briggs, residing near Cridersville, a very largely attended surprise party was the order of the day. Friends and neighbors numbering about fifty assisted in making the occasion an old fashioned enjoyable event. Charles Pence and family from here attended. They report a delightful time.

"Now good digestion waits on appetite, and health on both." If it doesn't, try Burdock Blood Bitters.

# ANOTHER

## Attempt to be Made to Save the Canal.

### A Scheme to Improve the Miami and Erie.

Six Million Dollars Will be the Estimated Cost to Transform it Into a Commercial Waterway.

The Miami and Erie canal, which has been operated for many years past at no especial profit, but not infrequently to considerable of expense to the State, is now about to become a great waterway by the application of electricity as a motive power.

In an interview with Mr. Edward E. Booton, engineer and draughtsman with the Ohio Canal Commission, who was in the city last Monday, we were not only given the assurance of the entire feasibility of the enterprise but that the company known as the Miami and Erie Canal Transportation Co., had plenty of money behind them, had gone into a contract with the State, giving a bond for the faithful performance of the contract and would push the undertaking to completion with all possible diligence. The outlay of at least $6,000,000 is estimated as the probable cost of construction and equipment for the realization of this new and gigantic scheme. Mr. Booton informed us that the company have the guarantee of all the business they can do for the next two or three years after they begin operation. The proposition to propel canal boats in fleets by electricity from the Ohio river to Lake Erie is, to say the least, a unique and novel method of transit.

Under the proposed new regime it will be necessary to widen the locks, especially along the eastern or northern portion of the canal and they will be built of stone; the canal will also be cleaned or dredged and deepened where necessary.

The promoters will begin operations from the Cincinnati end of the canal and furnish service first from Cincinnati to Hamilton, then from Hamilton to Dayton and on North. The undertaking is a "sure thing," showing conclusively that "wonders will never cease under the sun."—St. Marys Graphic.

OLD SOLDIER'S EXPERIENCE.

M. M. Austin, a civil war veteran, of Winchester, Ind., writes: "My wife was sick a long time in spite of good doctor's treatment, but was wholly cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills, which worked wonders for the health." They always do. Try them. Only 25c at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

Frey's orchestra and a strong caste of Lima's best elocutionists tonight at South Side church of Christ. Admission 10 cents.

EXCURSION TO BUFFALO

Via Pennsylvania Lines for Pan-American Exposition.

Excursion tickets to Buffalo for the Pan-American Exposition via Pennsylvania lines go on sale May 5th. Tickets may be obtained daily from that date until September 30th at special fares, good returning until October 31st. A special ticket good returning fifteen days including date of sale may also be obtained via Pennsylvania lines any day after May 5th. Another excursion ticket at special low fare will be on sale May 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th. The latter ticket will be limited for return trip within five days. All tickets to Buffalo via Pennsylvania lines will be good for stopovers at Lakewood and Jamestown (Chautauqua lake). For information about fares, through time and train service apply to nearest ticket agent of the Pennsylvania lines who will furnish time cards, maps and official information about the Exposition free of charge. d&w-tt

Excursion Rates to Lincoln, Neb., Via Pennsylvania Lines.

May 23d to 27th, inclusive, for Annual Conference German Baptist Brethren, excursion tickets will be sold to Lincoln, Neb., via Pennsylvania Lines. Tickets will be valid for return from Lincoln until June 4th.

Extension of Return Limit:—By deposite of ticket and payment of fifty cents to Joint Agent at Lincoln, on or before June 3d, an extension of return limit may be obtained to leave Lincoln not later than June 30th. For particulars see ticket agent of Pennsylvania lines. d&w-tt

Excursion to Akron Via Pennsylvania Lines.

May 15th and 16th for Prohibition State convention low round trip excursion tickets will be sold to Akron via Pennsylvania Lines; good returning until Friday, May 17. d&w-tt

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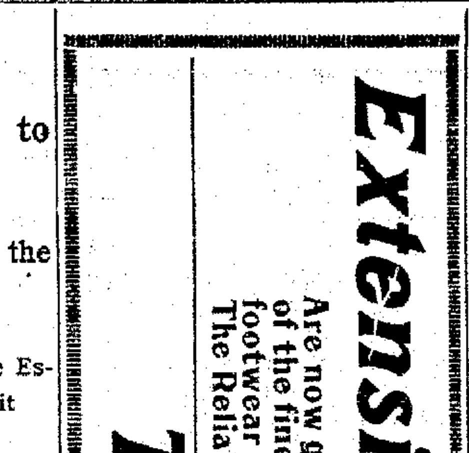

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## DEMOCRATIC SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

The Democrats of the 32d Senatorial District of Ohio will meet in convention at Defiance, Ohio, on

Wednesday, May 22d, 1901,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating two (2) candidates for State Senator.

The Senatorial Committee has appointed the representation of delegates at one delegate for every 100 votes and one delegate for every fraction of 50 votes or over cast for William J. Bryan for President in 1900.

Under this apportionment the several counties of the district will be entitled to the following number of delegates:

| | Votes | Delegates |
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| Allen | 6,540 | 65 |
| Auglaize | 4,812 | 48 |
| Defiance | 3,766 | 38 |
| Mercer | 4,460 | 45 |
| Paulding | 3,284 | 33 |
| Van Wert | 3,582 | 36 |
| Williams | 3,049 | 30 |

Total number delegates.... 295

F. M. BASHORE, Secretary pro tem. GEO. H. KOHN, Chairman.

## SAD NEWS FOR UNCLE HANNA.

We respectfully call Uncle Mark's attention to the grave danger of allowing prominent public men from France to be banqueted on their arrival in New York unless he can establish a rigid censorship over their dinner remarks. Under the invigorating effects of champagne they are likely to say something that may derange Uncle Mark's legislative machinery.

A sad case in point is reported from Gotham, where a lot of mercantile and political nabobs entertained Senator Jules Siegfried, formerly minister of commerce of France. He is one of the wisest and most conservative statesmen our sister republic has produced in the past quarter of a century. He comes to this country for the purpose of making an intelligent, on-the-ground study of our industrial conditions. After descanting on the vast growth of the United States as an exporter he said:

"But to carry commerce, ships are needed. That is where the Englishmen and the German beat the Frenchman and the American. Both countries need ships. I believe you have a ship bounty bill. Personally, I believe that freedom and energy, would do more to build up a merchant marine than any bounty could."

The special value of this opinion is its source. France comes to confessional in the person of a trained economist, and owns up she has been beaten in the ship-building race with England, though she has tried the subsidy system on a most generous scale, while only three per cent of the vast marine of Great Britain is subsidized and only over the very longest ocean runs.

Rather a cold bath this, for Uncle Mark's dizzy dream of a bottle-raised merchant marine. It ought to impress some week-kneed gentlemen of the majority in the house and senate, and convince them of the wisdom of keeping in that subsidy steal buried so deep that no earthquake can bring it up.

Doubtless, Uncle Mark will take the alarm from Senator Siegfried's indiscretion and have the country flooded, by way of antidote, with an avalanche of ship bounty oratory during Mr. McKinley's swing around the circle. Ship-builder Scott, of San Francisco can be relied on to play a few subsidy airs on the accordion, while his distinguished guests are sipping his wine. —Press Post.

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Much gratification is being expressed in Canada because the Dominion is gaining in population in a ratio greater than in this country. Since 1891 the increase has been from 4,833,323 to about 6,000,000—a gain in ten years of approximately 23 per cent as against a gain of 21 per cent in the United States during the same period. Upon a close examination, however, the showing appears less satisfactory than it is at first sight. The increase has occurred mainly among the French Canadians, and is due to the restraint exerted by the clergy upon the emigration of this prolific race, which at one time threatened to submerge the Yankee population of Northern New England. The preponderance in the population of the Dominion of an element so tenacious of its immemorial customs and habits of thought and so impervious to modern influence could hardly be deemed an unmixed blessing.

At an enormous cost the war department has brought together a fleet of transport steamers well adapted to existing necessities of military service, admirably equipped and capable of operation at a minimum of expense. Now that a peace footing is about to be established it has occurred to the seekers after Federal transportation contracts that there are millions of dollars at the disposal of the quartermaster's department for transport service, and they propose to get the money without regard to treasury consequences. The first step is to abolish the Atlantic transport service; then, in due time, to throw the vast Pacific business of the government into private hands. Should this scheme succeed the narrative of the purchase and sale of our transport fleet might be depended upon to furnish one of the most disgraceful chapters of Federal fiscal history.

Mr. Bryan's statement as to his intentions, which was called out in a recent editorial leads Mr. Rosewater, editor of the Omaha Bee and a prominent Nebraska Republican to say that, in his opinion, Mr. Bryan will run for governor and then strive for the United States senatorship to succeed Mr. Dietrich, whose term will expire in 1905. Mr. Rosewater says he believes that Mr. Bryan will not seek a presidential nomination in 1904. As to his prospects in Nebraska, the Omaha editor adds: "Mr. Bryan still exerts a wide influence in the state, and if he received the gubernatorial nomination he would be a very hard man to beat." The Nebraska campaign for governor will come a year from next autumn.

The Cubans are not so grateful to the United States as they were. It is McKinley's policy to protect the bold franchise-grabbers and concession-holders he has favored, and to do this he is attempting to force upon the Cubans terms they can not accept; and to take care of American syndicates that have taken possession of almost everything worth having over there, he will go to the length of forcing the annexation of the island.

The island-grabbing and patriot-persecuting policy of the Republican party is developing a swarm of rascals, through the force of example. The scandalous frauds in the army provision contracts, the tremendous stealings in official circles in Cuba, and the wide-spread official robbery carried on in the Philippines, is a record of rascality that any party ought to be ashamed of.

There need be no more conclusive evidence that the bicycle is becoming fashionable than the fact that King Edward VII has taken to wheeling. For the past decade England's ruler has originated thousands of world famous fads, but he has inaugurated nothing which is bound to be copied with more universal zest than bicycle riding.

An army of 76,000 is now decided upon. That is nearly three times as large as the old American establishment. Jefferson did not call for a big standing army when he purchased the Louisiana territory. The purchase of that great territory did not cause war, as did the purchase, so called, of the Philippine Islands.

A weather prophet in the state of New York has made the prediction, that May will be characterized by storms the most dire and calamitous. He is afraid that President McKinley will be storm bound if he shall adhere to the plan he had decided upon for his six weeks' tour, beginning with Monday, April 29.

## FOREST FIRES

### Sweeping Over the Mountains, Leaving a Blackened Waste.

Uniontown, Pa., May 3.—One of the fiercest forest fires that ever swept over the mountains has been raging for two days and nights between Somerfield and Addison, in Somerset county. Large stretches of timber, orchards and fences have been destroyed and a blackened waste marks the sweep of the fire across fields and woods. By strong efforts the citizens succeeded in saving their homes and buildings. Many sheep-grazing pastures were burned. The fire is now under control.

### Aged Mother on the Stand.

Cambridge, Mass., May 3.—Mrs. Grogan, the aged mother of Richard H. Grogan, Jr., for whose alleged murder Charles R. Eastman has been on trial here the last nine days, was a witness for the prosecution. Mrs. Grogan testified that on June 26 Eastman came to the Grogan house. Her son Richard was present, but he went out soon after Eastman came in. Witness did not notice that Richard and Eastman spoke. As Richard passed out Eastman said, "His days are short." Soon after witness heard Eastman say again, "His days are numbered."

### American Army Reviewed.

Berlin, May 3.—A military contributor to the Berliner Neuste Nachrichten reviews, with much detail, the reorganization of the American army. The writer points out a number of improvements, especially that the commanding general of the artillery arm is appointed from the branch of the service that he commands, but he considers it a disadvantage that the new general staff about to be formed should be composed of line officers detailed every four years.

### Teachers For Philippines.

Carbondale, Ills., May 3.—John V. Barrow of Campbell Hill, J. Frank Daniel of Mount Vernon and John M. Bambill of Lake Creek were appointed by President Parkinson of the Normal university, under instruction of General Superintendent Atkins of the Taft commission, to positions as teachers in the educational service of the Philippines, at a salary of $75 per month, and with free transportation from San Francisco to Manilla.

### Japanese Cabinet Resigns.

Yokohama, May 3.—In consequence of the continued postponement by the Japanese minister of finance, Viscount Watahabe, of the carrying out of the expected public works, the cabinet crisis reached a climax and Marquis Ito, the premier, after the cabinet meeting, proceeded to the palace and tendered his resignation to the mikado. All the other members of the cabinet did likewise with the exception of the minister of war, Baron Kodama.

### New Order Created.

Rome, May 3.—The Capitan Fiacaza of this city announces that King Victor Emmanuel will sign a decree next Sunday creating a new order, to be known as the Order of the Knights of Labor, which will be conferred upon citizens, including workmen, distinguished in the study of labor questions or the amelioration of the condition of the laboring classes.

### Booker Washington's Address.

Charleston, S. C., May 3.—Booker T. Washington has been placed at the head of the negro department of the South Carolina Interstate and West Indian exposition, and has issued an address to the colored people of the United States saying that "those in charge of the negro department are especially anxious to secure exhibits representing the progress of the race."

### First Kick on the Heat.

Pittsburg, May 3.—The intense heat has practically closed several of the bar mills in the city and badly crippled several others. Several workmen were completely exhausted and others were almost prostrated. There is a tremendous demand for iron and steel and muck bars are scarce because the manufacturers can not get workmen.

### Ran Into a Worktrain.

Cairo, Ills., May 3.—Mobile and Ohio passenger train No. 1, southbound, ran into a worktrain at Fort Jefferson, 10 miles south of this city, killing R. Jackson of the worktrain and Eigineer Tippany of the passenger. Both engines were wrecked.

### Depot Burned.

Okolona, Miss., May 3. — Fire destroyed the Mobile and Ohio railroad depot and eight cars loaded with merchandise and cotton. Loss $50,000.

## TO THE POINT.

### News of the Four Quarters Presented In Popular Form.

Glasgow exposition opened.

Bubonic plague discovered in a suburb of Constantinople.

A seat in the New York Stock Exchange sold for $70,000.

Merchants' distillery, Terre Haute, Ind., damaged $20,000 by fire.

High school building at Oshkosh, Wis., destroyed by fire.

Three negroes lynched near Selma, Ala., for the killing of Deputy Sheriff Edwards.

A brilliant comet was seen after sunset at Santiago de Chile, in the western sky.

A blaze in the Werner printing plant, Akron, O., did damage to the extent of $10,000.

Thirteen barges, loaded with coal, sunk at Henderson, Ky. Towboat collided with a bridge pier.

Caroline Martin, a deaf woman, while crossing a bridge at Troy, O., was struck by a train and killed.

Flames devoured the leather dressing factory of Robinson Brothers at Gloversville, N. Y. Loss $100,000.

## THROUGH TEXAS

### Is Whistling the Presidential Train. Flattering Orations.

Austin, Tex., May 3.—President McKinley and party arrived here from Houston, on their way to the Golden Gate. The city tendered the distinguished tourists a flattering ovation. A public reception was a pleasing feature of the program. The chief executive made a brief and characteristic address, which was well received. The presidential train then pulled out for San Antonio.

### Smallpox Increasing.

Indianapolis, May 3.—Reports received at the state board of health show that the number of cases of smallpox throughout the state is constantly increasing instead of diminishing. There were 43 cases reported for the month of April, but it is not known how many proved fatal. Dr. Hurty, secretary of the board, says the increase in the number cases is due in a large degree to inexperienced physicians throughout the state, who call eruptive diseases the Cuban itch.

### The Dead Alive.

Zanesville, O., May 3.—Grant Durling, who was reported to have been killed in a railroad accident at Kewanee, Ills., a week ago, has arrived at his home in this city. The man killed was Tom Speers, an iron worker, who formerly lived here. The mistake in identity was made through a notebook belonging to Durling which was found in the dead man's pocket.

### Gasoline Stove Trust.

Cleveland, May 3.—Representatives of leading gas and gasoline stove manufacturing concerns were in session here for the purpose of forming a combination of interests. While those attending the meeting were extremely reticent, it is reported that the prospects for the deal being successfully carried through are excellent.

### Total Indemnity Claims.

Berlin, May 3.—The statement that the total indemnity to be demanded of China amounts to £65,000,000 has been officially confirmed here. This amount includes all private claims. It is believed that if China will now undertake to pay this sum in indemnities the evacuation of Pe-Chi-Li province can begin immediately.

### Fatal Dynamite Explosion.

Monterey, Tenn., May 3.—A dynamite explosion at Oates camp, on the Nashville and Knoxville railroad extension from here to Laureal creek, killed two men and severely injured several others. The camp is 10 miles distant, and only a meager report of the accident reached here.

### Died of Hiccoughs.

Massillon, O., May 3.—E. W. Dehoff died suddenly of hiccoughs. He was ill but a few hours. Previous to being seized with hiccoughs, which were brought on by violent laughter, Dehoff was in his usual health. He was 51 years old.

### Villagers Starving.

St. Petersburg, May 3.—Starvation and typhus are increasing among the village population of Bessarabia. Seventy per cent of the farmers of that district have lost all their horses and have no seed for the spring sowing.

## MARKET REPORTS.

### Grain and Stock Prices For May 2.

CHICAGO—Cattle: Good to prime steers: $5 00@5 00; poor to medium, $3 95@4 90; stockers and feeders, $3 00@3 90; cows, $2 65@4 50; heifers, $2 70@4 75; canners, $2 00@2 60; bulls, $2 75@4 40; Texas fed steers, $5 25@5 40; Texas grassers, $3 50@4 00; Texas bulls, $2 75@3 80. Calves—$4 00@5 00. Mixed and butchers, $5 60@5 90; good to choice heavy, $5 70@5 95; rough heavy, $5 55@5 65; light, $5 75@5 85. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wethers, $4 15@4 50; fair to choice mixed, $4 00@4 30; western sheep, $4 15@4 50; yearlings, $4 20@4 50; native lambs, $4 20@5 25; western lambs, $4 50@5 30. Wheat—No. 2 red, 75@75½c. Corn—No. 2, 54c. Oats—No. 2, 28½c.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Good to choice smooth dry fed 1,250 lb. steers and upwards, $4 90@5 10; good to choice dry fed lighter steers, $4 75@4 85; green half fat, 900 to 1,200 lb. steers, $4 40@4 60; fair to best heifers, $4 00@4 75; fair to extra cows, $3 00@4 00; bulls, $3 50@4 00. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice handy clipped lambs, $4 65@4 80; fair to good, $4 25@4 60; heavy clipped lambs, 90 to 100 lbs., $4 50@4 60; culls and common, $3 50@4 00; choice handy weather clipped sheep, $4 15@4 25; good to choice, $4 00@4 10; good mixed sheep, $3 75@4 00; ewes, good to choice, $3 50@3 75; culls and common, $2 00@3 00. Calves—Fair to best, $4 25@5 00. Hogs—Mixed grades generally $5 85.

BUFFALO—Cattle: Good to choice exporters, $5 50@5 75; shipping steers, $5 25@5 50; butchers' steers, $4 70@5 15; fat cows and heifers, $3 75@4 50; choice heifers, $4 75@5 00. Sheep and Lambs—Best clipped lambs, $5 10; fair to good, $4 50@4 75; culls and common, $3 50@4 25; mixed sheep, $4 00@4 25; culls and common, $3 00; yearlings, $4 35@4 65. Calves—Choice veals, $5 25@5 50. Hogs—Pigs, $5 70@5 80; Yorkers, $5 90; mediums and heavy, $5 95.

NEW YORK—Cattle Steers, $4 70@5 85; fat oxen, $4 85; bulls, $3 00@4 40; cows, $2 15@3 90; choice to extra cows, $4 05@4 40. Calves—Veals, $4 00@5 50 choice veals, $5 62½@5 75; extra, $6 00; little calves, $3 00. Sheep and Lambs—Unshorn sheep, $3 75@5 00; clipped, $3 00@4 50; unshorn lambs, $5 6[illegible]@5 87½; clipped, $4 62½@5 30; southern spring lambs, $3 75@5 00. Hogs—Choice state, $6 25. Wheat—No. 2 red, 84¼c. Corn—No. 2, 56c. Oats—No. 2, 32c.

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Choice, $5 60@5 80; prime, $5 35@5 50; good, $5 10@5 30; tidy butchers and stags, $3 00@4 50; fresh cows, $25 00@50 00. Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, $4 40@4 50; good, $4 20@4 35; fair, $4 00@4 15; choice lambs, $5 10@5 25; common to good, $3 50@5 00. Hogs—Prime heavy and mediums, $5 85@5 90; heavy Yorkers, $5 65@5 87½; light Yorkers, $5 70@5 80; pigs, $5 70@7 75.

CINCINNATI—Wheat: No. 2 red, 77@77½c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 48@48¾c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 29½@30c. Rye—No. 2, 57@57½c. Lard—$8 00. Bulk Meats—$8 22½. Bacon—$9 21½. Hogs—$4 25@5 75. Cattle—$2 75@5 25. Sheep—$2 50@4 25. Lambs—$4 00@5 75.

TOLEDO—Wheat, 76c; corn, 47¾c; oats, 28½c; rye, 52½c; cloverseed, $6 30.

BALTIMORE—Butter: Fancy creamery, 20@21c. Eggs—Fresh, 18½c.


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## *Suit Department.* Elevator to Third Floor.

A BARGAIN SUIT........ $10.00
oxford gray, neat trimming, Eton jacket, good lining.

A BARGAIN SUIT........ 15 00
gray and brown, Eton jacket, flare skirt, elegant lining.

A BARGAIN SUIT........ 12 98
castor, oxford, blue, graduated flounce skirt, Eton jacket silk lined.

A BARGAIN SUIT........ 18 00
in black only, Eton jacket, flare skirt, both silk lined.

A BARGAIN SUIT........ 11 [illegible]
Eton jacket, flare skirt, neatly trimmed, nicely lined.

A BARGAIN SUIT........ 25 [illegible]
tan and black, flare skirt, both jacket and skirt with silk.

## *Waist Department.* Elevator to Third Floor.

A Bargain Waist........ 59cts
striped percale.

A Bargain Waist........ 69cts
plain colors and striped percale, a one dollar value.

A Bargain Waist........ $4.00
taffeta silk, black, rose, red, tan.

A Bargain Waist........ 4 00
in black only, reduced from $5.00.

A Bargain Wrapper........ [illegible]
calico or lawn, an elegant value.

A Bargain Wrapper........ [illegible]
in striped lawn, also large sizes.

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A PURE LINEN for Ladies' Shirt Waists, in all plain colors and stripes, 24 inches wide, at 35c per yard.

A Man's White Unlaundried Shirt, in all sizes, at 50 cents each—Can be depended upon to please you.

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A Bargain Vest........ 10cts
full sizes, clear yarn.

A Bargain Vest........ 15cts
children's sizes, also pants.

A Bargain Vest........ 25cts
lisle thread, also extra sizes.

### Summer Corsets.

A Bargain at........ 39cts

A Bargain at........ 50cts

A Bargain at........ $1.00

### Union Suits.

A Bargain at........ 50cts
low neck sleeveless or high neck long sleeves, pure white, lisle thread.

A Bargain at........ $1.25
low neck, sleeveless, lisle thread.

### White Spreads.

A Bargain at........ 79cts
good size, hemmed for use.

A Bargain at........ $1.88
large sized, fringed.

A Bargain at........ 1 50
large size, hemmed.

### India Linens.

A Bargain at........ [illegible]

A Bargain at........ 15cts

A Bargain at........ 25cts

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### Towelings.

A Bargain Crash........ [illegible]
all linen, 16 inches wide.

A Bargain Crash........ [illegible]
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## CATHOLICS

### Of England Objected to the Coronation Oaths

#### Because They Reflected on Catholic Faith—Dutiful Addresses to King Edward.

London, May 3.—A delegation of Catholics headed by Cardinal Vaughan and also a delegation of Jews presented dutiful addresses to King Edward today. King Edward replied in feeling language. There had been a delay in presenting the address of Catholics, caused by an objection of a part of the Catholics to the language in the coronation oaths, reflecting on their faith.

Don't miss the specialties by Wood and Hume at the grand Gymnastic Carnival at opera house, tonight.

Veal and Lamb at Townsend's.

# THE IDLER.

The following reference is made by the Delphos Herald to the death of Mrs. Seymour Evans, who leaves relatives in that city:

"At her home in Lima, Wednesday evening, occurred the death of Mrs. Seymour Evans, nee Zerelda Bussert. She leaves a husband and one son, Merlin Evans. Her daughter, Maud Evans-Sanford, died some years ago. Mrs. Evans was 57 years old and had always been an invalid. She was born near Morris Chapel and will be remembered by the older residents of Delphos and Marion township. The deceased was a sister of Mrs. F. L. Roebuck, and an aunt of Mrs. N. E. Brundage, of this city.

Don't fail to see Grosjean's electric soldier at Gymnastic Carnival tonight.

Catfish at Townsend's.

"I sent one dollar for a sure cure for corpulency."

"Well?"

"Here's the reply: 'Throw up your job and hunt another one.'"—Chicago Record-Herald.

## FIRST

### Event of the Mandolin Club was a Success.

The Queen City Mandolin Club and quartette gave their first ball at Wheeler's hall last night and there was a very flattering attendance. Colored society turned out in large numbers and a most enjoyable time was had. The mandolin club consists of Ed. Curtis, Earl Bynum, Howard Hamilton and Charles Garrison. The quartette includes Curtis and Garrison of the mandolin club and Charles Hamilton and Wilkie Collins, and the sextette proved themselves capable of furnishing royal entertainment.

Arion Orchestra will furnish music at Y. M. C. A. Gymnastic Carnival tonight.

Oysters and Clams at Townsend's.

F——I——S——H at Townsend's.

### OPTICIAN.

Mr. L. Hudson, optician, recently from Detroit, has located in Lima. He has personally canvassed nearly all the north side and speaks very kindly of the people he has met.

Those who have patronized him are well pleased and unqualifiedly commend his work and the quality of his goods. He has opened optical parlors at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tharp, 122 east Wayne street. He carries a full line of optical goods of latest designs always at reasonable prices. 1t*

Dressed Chickens and Fish at Townsend's.

Y. M. C. A. Gymnastic Carnival tonight at the opera house.

Dressed Chickens and Fish at Townsend's.

Roe Shad at Townsend's.

Dolly—So Bessie is to be married, after all. She used to pretend to be a confirmed man hater; told me once she wouldn't wed a king.

Flo—Did she, poor thing. Well, she's got to put up with a knave now. —Ally Sloper.

Jorker—I hear you have broken off your engagement with Miss [illegible]. Munnyseeker.

Munnyseeker—Yes; it was her father's fault.

Joker—How was that?

Munnyseeker—Why, the [illegible] failed. —Tit-Bits.

Summers—Who is that fellow who bowed to you?

Strauss—I don't know him from Adam.

Sommers—I should think you'd know him from Adam: Adam never wore so many clothes as he does.—Harlem Life.

Editor—Your story lacks action.

Author—It ought not to; I thought it out while I was walking the floor with the twins when they were cutting their teeth.—Brooklyn Life.


## Switches! Switches! Switches!

Now is your chance to get a beautiful switch of natural hair, 20 inches long and stemless for 98 cents, worth $2.00. Switches made stemless for your combings for $1.00. Everything in hair goods. A full-size sample bottle of 20th Century Hair Food for the cure of Dandruff, etc., given away free to each customer. This offer for a short time only.

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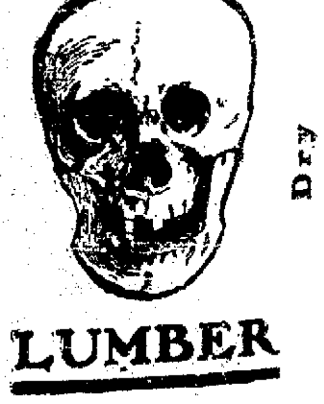
Bone  Dry

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Hosiery of honest worth.

Mothers should carefully investigate the offerings at this stocking counter.

Children's extra quality, fast black ribbed hose, with double sole and double heel, at 15c the pair.

Children's extra fine quality, fast black, ribbed hose, double knee, double sole and high spliced heel, at 25c the pair.

Children's fine quality mercerized ribbed Hose, in the new shades of red, special at 25c the pair.

Ladies' fancy Hose, in spring shades, boot tops, all-over stripes and figures and fancy lace stripes in solid colors, at 25c the pair.

Elegant assortment Lalies' fancy Hose, all new and beautiful designs and color combinations, the finest line ever placed on our counters, at 50c the pair.

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A big saving on every yard of these much wanted cloths.

You must see and examine the quality to know just what great values they are. THESE FOR WALKING SKIRTS.

56-inch heavy wool, homespun, in gray and brown mixtures, worth 79c, at 50c the yard.

56-inch heavy, all wool, homespun in gray mixtures regular value $1.25, at 98c the yard.

54-inch black wool pebble cheviot, medium weight, sold everywhere for $1.39 to $1.50, at $1 the yard.

**Ladies' Spring Gloves.**

We keep only the dependable kinds from the best makers.

Our popular prices prevail in this department.

Pure silk gloves, with double woven finger tips, gray, mode, white, tan and black, embroidered with self or contrasting colors, every pair guaranteed not to wear out at the finger tips.

Per Pair 50c.

Two clasp Kid Gloves, in all colors, worth $1.00 a pair, our price,

75c.

**25 CENT WASH GOODS FOR 18 CENTS.**

To-morrow we offer handsome Swiss Lappett Stripes, in navy, pink and lavender, one of the season's latest novelties in wash fabrics, until to-morrow never shown for less than 25c, while the lot lasts,

18c the Yard.

10 pieces striped Madras, 32 inches wide, fine quality and excellent patterns, colors dark blue, light blue, red, pink and heliotrope, regularly 25c, at

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**A SALE OF ELEGANT TRIMMED HATS.**

The extraordinary success of our Millinery Department speaks volumes for our low prices and great assortments. No house in Lima displays so many hats. The latest European and American novelties are reproduced and sold at our popular prices. We use nothing but the best materials, employ none but the most competent work people. Our prices are a revelation to the Lima public.

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**HANDSOME AND STYLISH SHIRT WAISTS.**

At special bargain prices for Saturday's selling.

Hemstitched Taffeta Silk Waists, finished with clusters of tucks, bishop sleeves and stock collars; $7.50 is what they're worth, our price is

$4.98.

Special lot Jap. Silk, Taffeta and Satin Waists, corded and tucked, colors drab, light blue, dark blue and black, worth $6, at

$3.98 Each.

**MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.**

Three special lots of Skirts to close out this Saturday.

Full width long Skirts of good muslin, (some soiled) with tucks and three inch hem, special at 25c each.

Special lot long Skirts of good muslin with cluster tucks and wide cambric ruffle, special at 39c each.

Skirts of excellent muslin with wide flounce of lawn trimmed with fine embroidery, regular value $1.10, special at 89c each.

## Special Sale of Ribbons.

Beginning at 1 o'clock p. m. Saturday and continuing during the afternoon and evening or as long as they last.

500 pieces No. 40 pure silk fancy Ribbons, 3 1-2 inches wide, in newest styles and colorings, every piece fresh and bright, regular value 25c—we're going to sell them tomorrow afternoon at 12c the yd.

Ready at 1 o'clock; none sold before.

## Special Sale of Turkish Towels.

**From 9 'Till 12 O'clock.**

Saturday morning at 9 o'clock we place on sale one hundred dozen Turkish towels at these money saving prices: 50 dozen 20x40 inch excellent quality unbleached Turkish towels, worth 15c, at 10c Each.

50 dozen 22x44 extra heavy unbleached towels, sold every day and everywhere for 25c, at 18c Each

None sold before 9 o'clock.

## Remnants of Sheetings, Shirtings, Towelings, Table Linens, Ginghams and White Goods at Bargain Prices.

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# TONS

## New Steel Rails to be Laid,

## eel Trestles

## ll Supplant Wooden Structures,

## Other Improvements ill be Made on the C. H. & D. This Year.

### Stevens Appointed Superintendent of Transportation for the Clover Leaf—Railroad News.

sident Woodford, General Man Waldo and Chief Engineer Wil- f the C. H. & D., have been at napolis inspecting terminals.

sident Woodford says it is the in- n to this season put down 6,000 of new heavy steel rails on the & D. and C. H. & I. divisions. the wooden bridges and trestles se divisions are to be replaced steel structures this year if the ial can be obtained from the

gard to the proposed extension I. D. & W. to Springfield, Ill., Woodford says while the question en discussed no definite action yet been taken.

**United Brotherhood.**

loyes of the Southern Pacific tarted at San Francisco a secret known as the United Brother- f Railway Employes.

telegraphers are thought to be nders of the new organization. avowed purpose is to band to- all the railroad employes in the y into a body similar to the can Railway Union, which went es after the strike a number of ago, which was led by Engene bs.

**After the Clover Leaf.**

believed in Wall street that the Lake Shore road is endeavoring to secure control of the Toledo, St. Louis & Western railroad. The character of the buying of the stock of the Clover Leaf road strongly indicates that they are being accumulated by one interest. It is known that the control of the Toledo, St. Louis and Western railroad would be an advantage to the Lake Shore. An offer was made for the control of the road a short time ago, but was refused, because the price was unsatisfactory.

**Bert Stevens' Appointment.**

A circular was issued yesterday by President Norton, of the Clover Leaf, announcing the appointment of B. R. Stevens as superintendent of transportation and abolishing the office of general superintendent. Mr. Stevens has been acting general superintendent for two months.

**A Big Force.**

Freight Agent Kirkland, of the Pennsylvanian, formerly located at Lima, but now in charge at Ft. Wayne, has 175 men in his department, says the Sentinel, including the trucking force and the clerks. This is a gain of about fifteen months. The transfer of freight destined for points west of Chicago at this place, instead of at Chicago, as formerly, is responsible for the increase in force. The business is growing monthly and a year hence there will be over 200 men in that department.

**Findlay's New Depot.**

C. M. Overly, superintendent of bridges and building; Joseph Taubken, roadmaster and I. F. White, superintendent of tracks and structures, all C. H. & D. railroad officials were in the city yesterday to attend to matters concerning the building of the new $2,000 depot. Work will be begun on the new depot as soon as the C. H. & D. depot is completed at North Baltimore.—Findlay Republican.

**Resolutions of Respect.**

Whereas, it has pleased our heavenly Father to remove from our midst our worthy brother R. C. McElroy, of Lima Lodge No. 184 B. of L. F., he being called from earthly duties very suddenly, April 24, 1901; be it

Resolved, 1. That we tender our respect and sympathy to the bereaved family of the deceased, who have suffered extreme loss in his death, as a kind, loving husband and father.

Resolved, 2. That in his death, Lima Lodge No. 184, B. of L. F. has lost an honored, upright, faithful, active and energetic brother, and the community, a loyal citizen.

Resolved, 3. That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the lodge, a copy sent to each daily paper; also a copy sent to the bereaved family.

Resolved, 4. That the charter of the lodge be draped in moruing for thirty days.

COL. SHULER,
FRANK MOORE,
C. W. COUNSELLOR.
Committee.

**A Sad Message.**

Dispatcher B. F. Tharp, of the C. H. & D., received a telegram yesterday from Washington, C. H., informing him of the death of his father. The latter had been ailing for a long time and had been seeking relief from Bright's disease, by trying changes of climate and treatment at the springs. During the last few weeks he has been failing rapidly, the end being only a question of time. Dispatcher Tharp had been called home several times, when it was supposed that his father could last but a few hours, but the invalid rallied and, as is peculiar to the affection, the patient grew stronger until another and more serious attack would follow. His death occurred before it was possible to get word to the children who desired to be with him during his last moments. Owing to the prominence of deceased in the community where he lived, the remains will be held until Sunday, as it is the desire of the pioneers of Fayette county to attend the funeral in a body.

**Damaged the Car.**

Hi Henry's private car was left standing on the wagon switch of the Ohio Southern road last night and about 10:25 passenger train No. 3, on the D. & L. N., with engineer Charles Lenhart in the cab, came spinning along from the north, and when it dashed past the private car, there was a crashing of timber and splintering of glass which told of an accident.

An investigation brought to light the fact that the rear end of the car is made to swing open like double doors, in order to admit the storing of scenery, and the passenger train, which was not expected at the time, dashed by while the doors were wide open. There was not room to clear and the force of the shock tore out a part of the rear end. The running gear was not injured and the car was able to proceed with the troop to the next stand.

**Notes.**

General Master Mechanic William White and Traveling Engineer T. Bolles, of the Lake Erie and Western, were here yesterday conferring with Master Mechanic J. W. Mitten. The visitors have their headquarters in Lima.—Fort Wayne Sentinel.

A bill now before the Pennsylvania legislature provides for three men upon every locomotive when in service in that state. The bill provides a penalty of $500 in every case where an engine is permitted to leave a division terminal without compliance with the law.

The Indianapolis Journal says: "Experience shows that the big G-4 and G-4 A mogul engines of the Pennsylvania lines are not adapted for fast work. They can haul heavy trains up stiff grades, but when it comes to speed the class P and L engines can beat them by twenty miles."

The action of Judge Brown, of the United States court at New York, has been in the nature of a boom in the ranks of the men engaged in the consolidation of railway interests. He issued an order restraining the carrying out of the proposed consolidation of the Rio Grand Western railway, of Utah, and the Denver and Rio Grand, of Colorado, and enjoining the firm from selling any of the stock of the proposed consolidated concern.

Fireman D. E. Geiger, of the L. E. & W., reported for duty today, after being off duty for a few weeks on account of sickness. He will fire Northern Ohio engine 30 for engineer Joab Bowsher.

The Pennsylvania company has issued a new book of rules, which went into effect yesterday. Among the rules is one in regard to the use of tobacco. Its use is prohibited when on duty, in or about the passenger station, or in passenger cars, and smoking by employes in or about shops or freight depots is prohibited. All of the employes have been provided with copies and are obliged to familiarize themselves with its requirements.

## PERSONAL.

Senator Brorein was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. H. S. Simons, of south Main street, and sister, Mrs. John Krug, of Muncie, Ind., left yesterday for a visit with relatives in Chillicothe.

Lou Wollet has just returned to Chicago after a two weeks' visit with his mother and friends.

See the elephant race at Faurot's opera house, tonight.


# JUVENILE SUITS.

Our Children's Department is one of the most attractive, busiest departments in our store. In fact it's one of the busiest CHILDREN'S SUIT DEPARTMENT in Lima. The reason is plain—there's a great deal to attract mothers of little boys here. We are showing all the late 1901 novelties in little boys' wear.

Russian Blouse Suits. Suits with Fancy Vests.
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FOR SALE—One 12 foot wall case, one 8 foot show case and table, one coal stove (with gas attachment), all in a 1 condition. L. S. B. 9 S. W. Public Square, Lima, O. 70-3t

FOR SALE—Square piano in good condition, will sell at a bargain. Call at 223 Harrison avenue. 71-1w

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call on Mrs. C. S. King, over Hoefler's furnishing store. 1-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished front room in modern house, 223 north Elizabeth street. 1t*


**NOTICE I. O. O. F.**

Golden Gate Rebekah degree staff are requested to meet at their hall for practice Saturday evening at 7 o'clock sharp, by order of captain.


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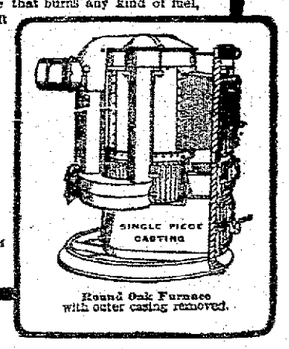


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Round Oak Furnaces are for sale in Lima, by Thos. E. Jones & Son.


EXCURSION

To Lake View and Russell's Point Sunday, May 5th.

A special excursion will be run via the T. & O. C. Ry., Sunday, May 5th, to Lake View and Russell's Point. 50 cents from Wapakoneta, for the round trip. Special train will leave Wapakoneta at 8:27 a. m.

Returning special trains will leave Russell's Point at 6:00 p. m. and Lake View at 6:05 p. m. For further particulars see hand bills or call on agents of T. & O. C. Ry. 69tf

"It is worth a good deal of pleasure and satisfaction that I recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Druggist A. W. Sawtelle, of Hartford, Conn. "A lady customer, seeing the remedy exposed for sale on my show case, said to me: 'I really believe that medicine saved my life the past summer while at the shore,' and she became so enthusiastic over its merits that I at once made up my mind to recommend it in the future. Recently a gentleman came into my store so overcome with colic pains that he sank at once to the floor. I gave him a dose of this remedy which helped him. I repeated the dose and in fifteen minutes he left my store smilingly informing me that he felt as well as ever." Sold by all druggists.

RESISTANCE OF BACTERIA TO HEAT

Many persons have erroneous notions as to the ease with which bacteria are destroyed by heat. In fact, the "thermal death-point" for bacterial organisms varies widely. Some forms of water bacteria are killed by simple blood-heat, while pathogenic bacteria develop best at that temperature. During their multiplying and vegetating phase of life bacteria are more easily destroyed by heat than they are after passing to the resting or spore stage. Some spores derived from the soil require boiling for sixteen hours to ensure their death. Moist heat in the form of steam is the most effectual disinfectant. No spore, however resistant, remains alive after one minute's exposure to steam at 140 degrees centigrade. But no degree of cold has been found sufficient to destroy bacterial life.

"I had a running sore on my breast for over a year," says Henry R. Richards of Willseyville, N. Y., "and tried a great many remedies, but got no relief until I used Banner Salve. After using one-half box, I was perfectly cured. I canot recommend it too highly."

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Tact comes as much from goodness of heart as from firmness of taste.—Endymion.

"Cadleigh's boys are not very polite, are they?" "No; but then you know, it takes three generations to make a gentleman." "I guess it would take regeneration in this case."

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One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to be shaken into the shoes. It makes tight or new shoes feel easy; gives instant relief to corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Cures and prevents swollen feet, blisters, callous and sore spots. Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for sweating, hot, aching feet. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Trial package FREE by mail. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y. 8

Hoax—"Lushley drinks entirely too much." Joax—"I know; but he has promised to reform." Hoax—"Is he really going to stop drinking?" Joax—"No; but he has promised to vote the Prohibition ticket hereafter."

"Miss Beatrice—Bee," began Mr. Fresch. "Pardon me," she said, haughtily; "but you mustn't call me 'Bee,'" "Why not?" Because you have known me but a very short time, and—" "But 'Bee' is a very short name."

LOCOMOTIVES AND CHARACTER.

A well-known critic of art in France, M. Arsene Alexandre, studied the exhibit of railway locomotives at Paris last summer from a new point of view, and drew some interesting conclusions. One of his most surprising inferences was that the genuine art of to-day was exhibited not in the museum of paintings, but among the locomotives. The latter showed beauty of line and proportion and true originality of treatment. National character was clearly marked in them. The American locomotive combined elegance, practicality, convenience and power, betokening a race which takes its ease in working. The English locomotive was more trim, snug and smaller, but without loss of power. The French was lighter and finer in line, but less powerful and effective. The other nations showed similar distinctions in their work.

BEWARE OF A COUGH.

A cough is not a disease but a symptom. Consumption and bronchitis, which are the most dangerous and fatal diseases, have for their first indication a persistent cough, and if properly treated as soon as this cough appears are easily cured. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has proven wonderfully successful, and gained its wide reputation and extensive sale by its success in curing the diseases which cause coughing. If it is not beneficial it will not cost you a cent. For sale by all druggists.

What They Got.

On his way home from the lodge Mr. Jymes was held up by footpads and relieved of all his valuables.

"What did they get, Rufus?" anxiously asked Mrs. Jymes after he had reached his home and reported his loss.

"Everything except the password," he groaned.—Chicago Tribune.


CASTORIA. Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought


Childish Theology.

A little girl with interrogative nose and curiously sharp eyes was pounding the cushion of her seat as the train sped along. "Stop, Ida," said anxious mamma. "You are making dust." "Well, didn't God make me out of dust?" replied the little maiden. "I wonder if he had to pound much harder.—Jewish Messenger.

If you are sick all over, and don't know just what ails you, it's ten to one your kidneys are out of order. Foley's Kidney Cure will bring you health and energy.

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

"Subbubs says Miasmaville is a wonderful place to live in." He never spoke a true word." "For goodness' sake. You don't mean to say—" "I mean to say that it is wonderful that any man should be able to live there."


BEST FOR THE BOWELS

If you haven't a regular, healthy movement of the bowels every day, you're sick, or will be. Keep your bowels open, and be well. Force, in the shape of violent physic or pill poison, is dangerous. The smoothest, easiest, most perfect way of keeping the bowels clear and clean is to take

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NOTES ON SCIENCE.

CURRENT NOTES OF DISCOVERY AND INVENTION.

Diagnosis of a Disagreeable Complaint That Attacks Children—It Is Called False Croup and Causes Vocal Spasms—Labor Saving Machinery.

FALSE CROUP.

This is a form of laryngitis, occurring in young children, which is accompanied by a spasmodic drawing together of the vocal cords, occasioning more or less difficulty in breathing. It is usually called simply croup by both mothers and doctors, but is a much less serious affection than true croup. True croup is an inflammation, usually diphtheritic, with a membranous exudation filling up the larnyx, whereas false croup is spasmodic and of short duration. False croup may begin suddenly and without warning, but usually the child has a cold for a day or two before the croupy symptoms appear. The attack comes on during sleep, and the little patient is awakened by the urgent need for breath. Sometimes there is difficulty only in inspiration; in other cases an effort is required to force the air out as well as to draw it in.

Accompanying the difficulty in breathing is a short, ineffectual cough of a harsh, metallic character. There is usually more or less fever, sometimes a very high one, and the pulse is rapid and hard. The child seems to be in imminent danger of suffocation—and sometimes actually is—but generally the spasm of the larnyx relaxes after a while and the child falls asleep. In many cases the attack, if it has been severe, terminates with a fit of vomiting or the coughing up of a large quantity of mucus.

A second attack may occur the same night or the next night, or there may be no subsequent seizures.

The following morning the child is generally in his usual health, except for a slight hoarseness and a spasmodic, metallic cough, or there may be a little difficulty in breathing for a day or two.

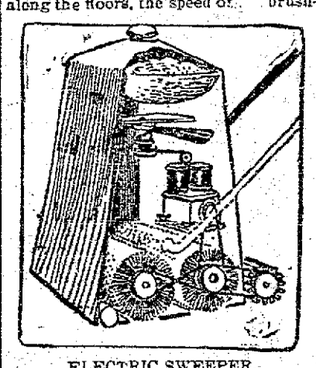
Although the symptoms of a sharp attack of spasmodic croup are often terrifying, it seldom ends fatally in a previously healthy child. Convulsions or unconsciousness may follow a severe attack in a delicate child.

Relief may be obtained by applying to the throat a cloth wrung out of hot water. The inhalation of steam rising from a vessel of hot water in which a teaspoonful of compound tincture of benzoin has been dropped will sometimes break up a spasm. In severe cases the child may be made to vomit by giving him warm salt water, or by tickling the back of the throat with a feather.

It is not always easy to distinguish between true and false croup, and it is safer to call a physician in every case.

GEORGIA WOMAN'S INVENTION.

A woman inventor of Savannah, Ga., has obtained a patent on an electric carpet-sweeper and dust-gatherer, a view of which we present in the accompanying illustration. The machine comprises a pair of brush cylinders, rotated by connection with a fluted rubber roller in frictional contact with the floor, and there is also an electric motor inside the casing, which is utilized to run a rapidly revolving fan, which takes up the dust and drives it against a sponge. The latter, being saturated with water, readily retains the dust and aids greatly in cleaning the room. The current for the motor in the case of the hand-operated sweeper is supplied by a small generator connected with the fluted roller, but in case of a large sweeper, for use in halls and churches, it is intended to attach the sweeper directly to an electric-light circuit by means of wires. In this case the current is also made to revolve the brushes, and it is then only necessary for the operator to draw the machine along the floors, the speed of the brushes being so high that a rapid gait can be maintained without slighting the work. When the sponge has become coated with the dust the cover of the sweeper is lifted and the sponge taken out for cleansing.



ELECTRIC SWEEPER.

TELEPHONING ACROSS THE OCEAN.

One of the most remarkable inventions marking the opening of the twentieth century is the method devised by Prof. Michael I. Pupin of Columbia university for sending telephonic messages through ocean cables. The chief reason why telephoning through submarine cables has not heretofore been successful is because electricity is retarded in passing through them. The retardation is variable, and its effect upon a telephonic message sent through a cable is to produce a jumble of the sounds which renders them unintelligible. Professor Pupin's invention consists in attaching to the cable, at intervals of about an eighth of a mile, little coils of wire, which have the effect of preventing the retardation of the current. It is believed that an Atlantic cable can now be constructed which will render conversation possible between the opposite shores of the ocean.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The villages near Fribourge, Switzerland, are in great distress: the old industry of plaiting straw, which used to bring the inhabitants a little money, having disappeared. Other countries furnish the markets.

Miss Mamie Smith, Middlesboro, Ky., writes: "My little sister had the croup very bad. I gave her several doses of Foley's Honey and Tar and she was instantly relieved. It saved her life."

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Woman's Tact.

Rev. Cassington — Honestly, Miss Deering, do you think my sermons are too long?

Miss Deering—Oh, dear, no. I merely think that life is too short.—Puck.

Mr. F. D. Arnold, Arnold, Ia., writes: He was troubled with kidney disease about three years. Had to get up several times during the night but three bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure effected a complete cure, he feels better than he ever did and recommends it to his friends.

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Superstition renders a man a fool, and skepticism makes him mad.—Fielding.


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of cod-liver oil is the means of life, and enjoyment of life to thousands: men women and children.

When appetite fails, it restores it. When food is a burden, it lifts the burden.

When you lose flesh, it brings the plumpness of health.

When work is hard and duty is heavy, it makes life bright.

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THE LAND OF MAKE BELIEVE.

To the gates of Dawn, how gladly
Would the grayheads all go back,
And, among the little children,
For a while forget the rack!
How their purblind eyes would brighten,
How their hearts with joy would heave,
Could they once again be dwellers
In the Land of Make Believe!

O, what treasures that a Croesus
Has amassed can equal those
That before the gaze of childhood,
As by magic, once arose?
All are rich if but they will be,
All possess what they perceive—
To life's largess there's no limit
In the Land of Make Believe!

What a land it is to live in,
Where a palace is as cheap
As a hovel—where the littlest
May with giant strides o'ercleap
Highest hights! Tho' bringing knowledge,
How the flying years bereave
Us of all our happy dwellings
In the Land of Make Believe!

Still so curious is the human
E'en in childhood—oft he goes
Far outside Joy's sphere, a-weeping
O'er imaginary woes;
For the one that's born a poet,
Tho' he knows not why, must grieve
O'er the tears that fall outside of
The bright Land of Make Believe!
—Mary Norton Bradford in Boston Globe.

## Wit vs. Wine.

BY JAMES NOEL JOHNSON.

Author "A Romulus in Kentucky," "Two Girls in Blue," Etc.

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Old John Tabor of Bowie Creek sat on his veranda, his huge legs spread suggestive of the prongs of a black oak tree. The puckers between his eyes drew his brush-heap brows together.

His pretty daughter, Mollie, stood at the rail of the balusters, her apron pressed to her eyes. A curtain of morning glory vines dropped from the eaves to the ground, one blossom of which touched the cheek of the young girl with the soft lips of sympathy.

"No use in none o' your foolishness. You ain't got sense enough to know what's good for ye. Jest to think ye're wantin' to marry that school teacher, Ed. Bronson, with his soft han's, gal face and baby eyes, an' turn yer contrary back on Tom Bradley, who could split more rails in one day than that 'ar Bronson could split in ten years. You think you could live with him on soft moonshine, idle breezes, kisses an' all that sort o' truck, forgittin' that arter a few messes of that diet you'd like to try a round or two of 'taters, pork and beans, soda biscuit and strong coffee."

"Pap," spoke the girl between convulsive sobs, "you can't make me marry Tom. I can't do it; I won't do it, I tell you!"

"Lookee hur' gal; I'm gittin' my dander clean up in my ha'r now! You belong ter me until you're twenty-one, an' I sorter allow, under the laws of the state o' Kentucky, made an' pervided fer sich cases as this, that I'll do as I please with my own property. Heah me? I'll have no licks an' hitches. When I stand you side an' side to be hitched up ter the matrimonial wagon, by gad, suh, I'll have no stallin'! Think I'm go'n' to give you to a little slender imirtation of a man with nuthin' but er edication (which only makes people fools and idiers), while a big, strong man with two hosses, three cows an' forty head of sheep stands ready to foreclose on ye? Not much! You're mine, I say—till tomorry night, then I give ye to Tom Bradley. So hush your snubbin' an' go git dinner in race horse time, for I promised Bradley to go with him

Two horsemen rode into view.

to town this evening to git the license."

As soon as the old man had disappeared behind a wall of dark green corn at the rear of the house, Mollie, in a frenzy of dispair and grief, went to the front door and gazed with eager, blistering eyes up and down the road. She wanted to see some one she could fly to, to whom she could reveal her peril, and beg for a rescuing hand. Not more than a minute had passed when two men on horseback rode into view. They were Richard Hardin, the wealthiest young man in that section, and his younger brother, Jerre.

"Mr. Hardin," screamed the girl as the men rode opposite the house, "get down an' come in a minit."

Richard dismounted, handing his bridle-reins to his brother.

When he entered the house the girl, in spite of herself, broke into a cry that convulsed her frame, and rendered her speechless for some time. The sympathetic young bachelor gazed upon her, wonder and pity in his face. He had a vague idea, however, the occasion of her grief. When she had mastered herself, she briefly related her troubles, and begged him to save her.

The young man sat for a moment, his mind working double time. The girl watched him as a mother would watch the lights and shades in the face of a child approached by death. Soon his face lighted up. He slapped his big leg and said:

"I'll fix it. Have no further fear. You shall have your heart's wise choice. I'll save you from that contemptible wretch—Tom Bradley. I'll be back in a second."

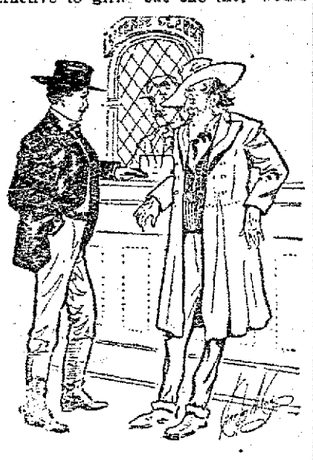
He arose and hastily went out to the fence.

"Jerre," he said, "I'm going to Vanceburg with Mr. Tabor to get the license for Louis and Mollie's marriage. Ride over and tell Tom we are gone, and get him to go with you out to Abe Martin's to bring home the three cows I bought of him yesterday and I'll pay him well."

Then he went back into the house and said: "Mollie, when your father comes in I shall pretend to agree with him respecting his choice. You will appear as if reconciled. I'll go to town with your father to get a license for your marriage. Leave all to me."

Soon the old man's footsteps were heard in the yard, and Richard, as if in answer to words from Mollie, raised his voice and said:

"Oh, Mollie, you'll get over your foolish love for Ed Bronson all right. He's a pretty young fellow, very attractive to girls, but one they would



"Think I can stand one more."

always regret marrying. Your father is right. Mind him, and the future will show you that the wisdom of age is superior to a girl's day dreams."

"Well," replied Mollie, choking down a laugh, "I will mind him. Maybe he knows best."

"Bully for you, Moll!" cried the old man, stepping in at the door.

Hardin explained that he had sent Bradley with Jerre after some cattle, and that he had come to go with him after the license. The old fellow was delighted, and when they were well on the road, he didn't refuse Hardin's proffer of a drink from his bottle.

The old man was a spreer. When he got one drink it was the beginning of a two weeks' "drunk." Frequently tapping Hardin's bottle, he was in excellent shape before town was reached.

The bottle exhausted, the pair entered the nearest saloon and began to drink to the health of the young couple. Hardin took very small drinks, while the old man was rapidly passing from the political to the religious stage of drunkenness. The crying stage is next, and, before that was reached, Hardin said they'd better go get the license.

When they reached the clerk's office the old man's eyes were tilted back in their sockets. Hardin whispered the names of the couple to the clerk.

"How old is your daughter, Mr. Tabor?" asked the clerk.

"Er (hic) me? Oh, her—u-um, um, (hic) she's sex—sic—six—er seven——"

"She's seventeen—I know her age," said Hardin.

"You give your free consent to her marriage?"

"Me? Heigh? Er (hic) w'y, yes, I don't keer—think I can stand one more."

Hardin and the clerk laughed, and the former took the license when made out, and paid the fee.

Hardin took the old man down to the saloon, and permitted him to pour down drink after drink until he fell in a heap at the bar. Then he had him carried to bed, where he slept in snoring unconsciousness until 2 o'clock the next afternoon.

Hardin handed the license to Mollie, sent for Ed Bronson and a preacher, and had the couple married four hours after he and the old man had started for Vanceburg.

Tabor continued his spree for two weeks, never coming home during the time.

One day he was standing at the bar, treating a lot of appreciative loafers, and bragging on his son-in-law, Tom Bradley, when the latter entered and called him out the back way.

"Mr. Tabor," he said, crying, "I think you treated me bad—promising me Mollie an' then givin' her to Ed."

"What!" thundered the old man. "Are they married? I got the license fer you an' her."

"No you didn't," mournfully spoke poor Tom, "it was made out for Ed an' Mollie, an' the clerk sez you wuz present an' give your consent."

The old man's whisky blooms faded from his face for a second, then he shouted: "I was tricked! I'll kill Dick Hardin!"

"An' Mr. Tabor, misfortunes never come alone. My horses are dead with epizootic, and the dogs have killed all my sheep."

"Well," laughed the old man, after a pause, "I guess I won't kill Dick, for a little joke like that. Come in an' take a drink."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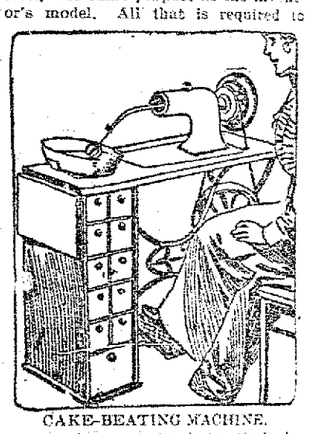
LABOR SAVING UTENSIL.

The accompanying picture shows a newly patented machine, which may be of use in kitchens where a saving of time is an item to be considered. It does away with the necessity for beating eggs, cake, dough, etc., with the hands, employing in lieu thereof a foot-power machine, which is provided with a flexible whipper-carrying shaft, by means of which the agitation of eggs and other ingredients of a cake may be properly effected. There is also a dish-supporting shelf, so mounted that it may be used to adjust a dish at any desired angle. The machine is somewhat like a sewing machine in construction, and, in fact, if the upper portion of a sewing machine were cut away to expose the rotary shaft for connection with a flexible shaft and beater it would answer precisely the same purpose as the inventor's model. All that is required to



CAKE-BEATING MACHINE.

operate the apparatus is to attach the beater to the end of the shaft, insert it in the basin of liquid and run the treadle with the feet. The accompanying cabinet of drawers should also prove itself a great convenience to the housekeeper.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To Drive Ants From the Lawn.

Fine coal ashes sprinkled about the burrows of ants will cause them to leave. Ashes may be used on the lawn without injury to the grass. Sifted ashes are best, but those fresh from the stove, shaken from the stove shovel, will answer the purpose very well.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Thomas Maple, Birkback, Ill., writes: "I had a very bad case of kidney trouble and my back pained me so I could not straighten up. The doctor's treatment did me no good. Saw Foley's Kidney Cure advertised and took one bottle which cured me and I have not been affected since. I gladly recommend this remedy."

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

"Excuse me," said the citizen of the plains, "but didn't we ride you out of this town on a rail some ten years ago?" "Believe you did," responded the fearless barnstormer. "Well, look out this time." "Oh, I am used to traveling by rail." "That may be, stranger, but we only have barbwire fences out here now."


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cures small or large people. It's neglect of little things that causes trouble. A little cough is dangerous if left alone. Cure it right at the start, and prevent serious consequences by using Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. For over fifty years it has cured coughs. It is quick, sure and harmless.

Wm. H. Breder, of Chrystie St., New York City, writes: "I have had a cough ever since my childhood. It was so bad that blood would spurt from my nose, which would leave me weak, so that I was often compelled to leave my work. Started to take Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, and before the third bottle was finished my cough was entirely gone."

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# WILL

## The Bottom Ever be Reached

## In the Decline

### Caused by the Finds in Texas Fields?

### The Standard Knocks Another Chunk Off of the Price of Crude,

**The Quotations Dropping Down to 83 Cents for North Lima and 78 Cents for the South Lima Production.**

As was stated by the Times-Democrat yesterday, the oil market seems destined to decline about as rapidly as the Texas oil field develops. Another chunk was knocked off of the quotations today, making for this week, a decline of five cents per barrel in the price offered for the eastern production and a reduction of three cents per barrel in the market for the Lima and Indiana production. The quotations posted at the local purchasing office in the Buckeye building this afternoon were as follows:

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| Tiona | $1.27 |
| Pennsylvania | 1.12 |
| Barnesville | 1.12 |
| Corning | .95 |
| New Castle | .87 |
| North Lima | .83 |
| South Lima | [illegible] |
| Indiana | .78 |

**Lima Parties Interested.**

Representatives of McCambridge & Company, of Lima, are working east of Delphos, endeavoring to lease farm lands for oil purposes, says the Herald. They are working west from the Steinle and Moenter farms and expect to lease up to the corporation line if possible. Some of the farmers are not so anxious to lease that they will let their land go without some consideration and a fairly good prospect of a well within a certain length of time, and whether the leasers will take to that idea remains to be seen. They are apparently anxious to adopt Sam. Jones' method of getting leases and then sell them to the highest bidder. In view of the fact that the Ludwig well of a few years ago had plenty of both oil and gas, and the good showing on the Morton farm some fourteen years ago, might make it worth someones while to put down a well in territory between the two, and it may be done. The representatives of the McCambridge Company are not making any tall promises as yet.

## VENERABLE

### Resident of Allen County Died This Morning.

**Rev. C. W. Parker Passes to Rest After Three Weeks Illness—Funeral Sunday Afternoon.**

Rev. C. W. Parker, an aged and venerable resident of Allen county, died at his home four miles east of this city at ten o'clock this morning, death resulting after an illness of three weeks duration. The deceased was aged 59 years, 2 months and 25 days, and had been a life long resident of the county. He is survived by eight children.

Funeral services will be at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon and will be held either at the late home of the deceased or at Grace M. E. church on the south side. Rev. W. H. Leatherman will conduct the services and will be assisted by Rev. Berry and Rev. Maithie. The place of holding the services will be announced tomorrow.

Be sure to see Zeller and Richards and Jones and Tyler in their inimitable acrobatic feats tonight at opera house.

**READ THEM THROUGH.**

Upon pages 3 and 8 of this edition of the TIMES-DEMOCRAT will be found the advertisements of the Globe Shoe and Clothing company, which are well worthy of close study. These gentlemen are going out of the clothing trade to devote their time exclusively to shoes and are offering rare bargains now both in shoes and clothing. Read their advertisements carefully.


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Suits that will suit young men, and we want young men to know that we have these Suits and we want them to get acquainted with our Clothing. We don't make much noise about this exceptional Clothing of ours, but we do want to speak loud enough to be heard by every young man in this city.

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## Whose Brains

### Have Led Him to Success as a Crook

**Instead of Being Employed in Furnishing Good Literature to the Public.**

**Gaston Devereux's Identity is Established and He Offered a Helping Hand to Prisoners in Jail.**

The expression is an old one but it has proven true in a literal sense so many times that it has become proverbial. In this connection it relates to a graduate in the art of lying and roguery, who is best known in Lima as Gaston Devereux. This same polished crook has as many aliases as the year has days, as he carried a half a dozen during the short time he was here, but the Times-Democrat has finally gotten at the bottom of the young man's recent history, and is now enable to give his real name.

"Devereux" comes from a city in Ohio that has at least the temporary abiding place, if not the native home, of some of the most noted crooks in the world, and when Dayton sent a young man by the name of Eytinge to the Mansfield reformatory, the reputation of the city for being an incubator of smooth individuals was not detracted from. Eytinge is the same man who has been masquerading in Lima under the name of Devereux and he might have gotten away without his real identity being established but for one of those unexpected incidents which frequently knocks the bottom out of the best laid plans.

Night before last A. N. Shaw, who is the commissary for the Western Ohio railway company, came to Lima from his home in Mansfield, and among the first persons he met on the street was "Devereux." The latter tried to make Mr. Shaw believe he was mistaken, but the latter had served three years as an officer at the Mansfield reformatory, and "Devereux" had to fess up. After a short conversation "Devereux" asked Mr. Shaw not to give him away because he didn't want the people in Dayton to know where he was. Being assured that "Devereux" was up to no mischief, Mr. Shaw put the incident aside, but when he saw the cut of the "mysterious customer" in last night's Times-Democrat, Mr. Shaw at once recognized "Devereux" as Eyting, and recognized "Devereux" as Eytinge, and in relating to him.

Eytinge was found guilty of forgery at Dayton and sent to the Mansfield reformatory, where he served 18 months. "He was the brightest prisoner at the institution," remarked Mr. Shaw, "and while there served as a teacher. He was released from the reformatory last July, but since then he got into trouble in Indianapolis. There is a pile of checks in Dayton which were forged by Eytinge and it was for that job that he was sent to the reformatory. It was expected that he would go to the penitentiary for the crime committed in Indianapolis, and I have never heard how he got out of it." Eytinge, as stated yesterday, took on board a load of booze, and late in the afternoon got out of the town on a freight train, as he only had a little change in his pockets when he first began to tank up.

**SHOWS HIS HAND**

**In An Effort Made By Prisoners to Escape from Jail.**

Sheriff Bogart, whose suspicions had been arroused on account of Eytinge's behavior during the two days he was at liberty, searched the jail and the two prisoners today and he made a discovery which proved that August Monin and Frank Pace, the only two inmates, were trying to effect their liberty.

The steel adjustable frame used for holding saw blades, was brought to light and the locks on a lower door and the one leading to the upstairs corridor had been sawed off. There were evidences that the prisoners had been up stairs, but they were as far from liberty as ever, as they would have had to do lots of sawing before getting through the heavy bars of the windows.

T. A. Collins, collector for the Times-Democrat, passed through the alley in the rear of the jail at night and heard a noise like the grating of a file, and Mrs. Bogart also declared that she heard the same noise. The sheriff was informed of Mr. Collins' suspicions and the investigation proved that both Mr. Collins and Mrs. Bogart were correct as to their suspicions. The sheriff is of the opinion that Eytinge had promised to assist Monin to escape and secured the instrument that was used, getting it to the prisoners either at night or yesterday while the sheriff and his family were out of the city attending the funeral of the former's brother. The style of frame used for the saw is for sale at Jones' hardware store but as yet it has not been discovered whether it was purchased or stolen.

## LOCAL NEWS

### Will be Found on Pages 2 and 3.

The demands made by the merchants for advertising space in the columns of the Times-Democrat requires the placing of much of the fresh local news on pages two and three. Read the Times-Democrat through and get all the news all the time.

## COLONEL

### Ream Becomes Ranking Officer of State.

### Gov. Nash Modifies Verdict of Court Martial

**Reducing the Offenders to the Foot of the Line of the Rank They Held in the National Guard.**

According to a telegram from Columbus, Gov. Nash gave out yesterday afternoon the findings of the court-martial that tried the Fifth Regiment and Ninth Battalion officers. Col. C. X. Zhamerman was convicted of all the charges made against him, and the court sentenced him to dismissal from the service. Governor Nash mitigated this sentence to six months' suspension from rank and command, and reduction from ranking colonel of the state to the foot of the line of colonels.

Capts. Hiland B. Wright and Burton O. Squire were convicted of falsification of the muster rolls and sentenced to dismissal. The governor mitigates this to suspension from rank and command for one month, and to be reduced to the bottom of the line of captains.

Maj. John Fulton, of the Ninth Battalion, was found guilty of permitting Capt. Guy Wren to sell liquor in camp. Wren was found guilty of selling it. Fulton was sentenced to suspension for one year, fined $100 and to be reprimanded by the commander-in-chief. Governor Nash mitigates his suspension to one month and reduction to the foot of the line of majors. Wren was sentenced to one year's suspension and reprimand. His sentence is mitgated to suspension for one month and reduction to the foot of the line of captain surgeons.

In the cases of Zimmerman, Wright and Squire the court recommended clemency.

Col. James I. Ream, of Lima, of the Second Regiment, has become the ranking colonel of the state on account of the reduction in rank of Col. Zimmerman.

## HOPEFUL

### Of Early Termination of War in South Africa.

**British War Office is Arranging to Cancel Arrangements for Army Food and Forage.**

London, May 3.—The Strand says today that the war office is now more hopeful of a termination of the South African war than it has been for many weeks. The paper says arrangements for food and forage for the army, based on expectations that hostilities would be prolonged are likely to be cancelled.


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